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# PESSIMISTIC REGARDING FUTURE OF THE



Emperor Haile Sclassic, emperor of Ethiopia, hired Pittman Potter, cratwhile University of Wisconsin professor, to advise his country in the present crisis caused by the clash with the Italian army on the

### **AUTOMOBELLES'**

London Press Ridicules Police Trap Scheme

BANDIT HOLD-UP DANGER SAID TO BE INCREASED

London, To-day. A storm of criticism, ranging from indignation to ridicule, passed in to-day's morning papers en Lord Trenchard's motor police traps news of which was cabled yesterday.

The idea of plain-clothes police as speed spies is described as unfair and un-English and it is pointed out that the Road Traffic Act provides that motorists are only obliged to halt for the signal of uniformed policeman.

It is also pointed out that the police will be unable to sound their gongs in the silence hours, while the regulation will increase the danger of bandit hold-ups, because motorists will not be able to distinguish between gongsters and gangsters in deserted suburban streets at night.

SUGGESTED NAMES The Daily Express suggests that the policewomen trappers be called "Mobile Marys," "Prowling Polities," "Automobelles," "Watch Winnies," "Brake On Your Girls," "Speedsweeties," or "Lynx-eyed Lizzies."-Reuter. (Continued on page 9.)

### BANDITS DEFEATED IN KIANGSI

Women Bandits Among Those Captured

Canton, to-day. A regiment of the Kwangtung First Army Corps killed more than 100 bandits with a seizure of 2 machine guns and over 100 rifles in an encounter with the first and second branch corps of the bogus South Kiangsi Army in Pan-ling on Saturday last, according to a telegram received here from General Yu Han-mow yesterday. The outlaws taken prisoners were several hundreds, including woman bandits. (Continued on Page 12)

### BRITISH PREMIER INDISPOSED

Attends Cabinet Meeting Despite Severe Cold

## TREATY IS FLOUTED

FRANCE AROUSED BY GERMANY'S NEW AIR DECLARATION

Legal And Diplomatic Questions Raised

FLAGRANT CONTRADICTION OF ANGLO-FRENCH COMMUNIQUE

Paris, To-day. Germany's official admission of the possession of an air force is unlikely to be accepted in silence

It is pointed out that the admission of an infraction of the Treaty of Versailles raises a number of legal and diplomatic problems, which the Quai d'Orsay is examining, and introduces into the Simon negotiations in Berlin a new factor "which should normally lead the Governments interested to take concerted action in accordance with the agreements of Rome and London." (Continued on Page 9)

### AIR CONFERENCE IN AUSTRALIA

Encouraging News Received

London, To-day. The under-Secretary for Air. NATIONAL PARTY PROSPECTS Sir Philip Sassoon, said yesterday that while he was at present unable to make a statement regarding the recent conferences in Australia on the Government's mail policy the recent telegram received about the proceedings was generally encouraging. - British Vireless Service.

### AIR SERVICES OF BRITAIN

29,000,000 Passenger Miles Flown In 1934

London, To-day. Sir Philip Sassoon, Under-Secre-listing Party. tary for Air yesterday stated that The organisation will make 29,000,000 passenger miles were known the policy, achievements, flown last year in the regular and plans of the National Govern-United Kingdom air transport ser- ment. vices in Britain and abroad.-British Wreless Service.

### SIGNATURE OF SINO-JAPANESE PACT CERTAIN

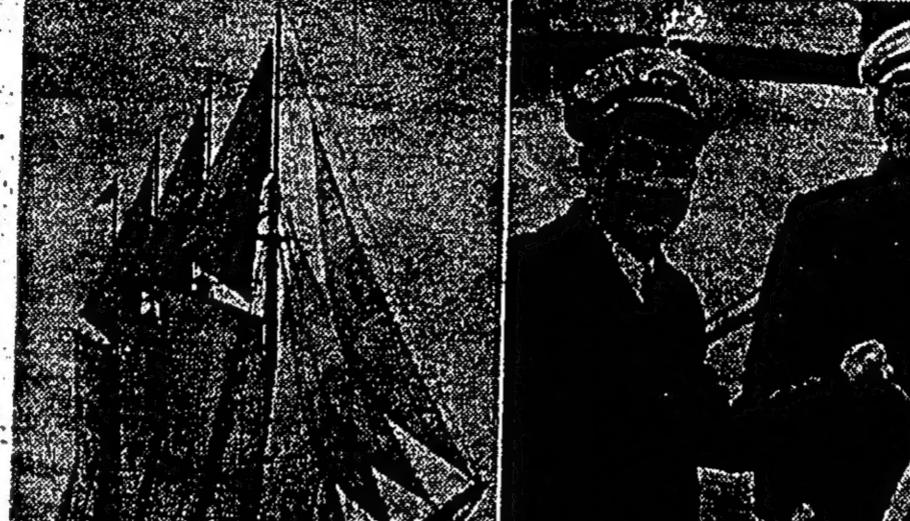
When Japan Secedes From League

AGREEMENT OF DEFINITE

 ALLIANCE [From Our Own Correspondent]

Canton, To-day. Nanking reports stated on Tuesday night that the National Government will conclude a definite the adverse trade balance for ditch. — Reuter. alliance with Japan, covering January and February is only (Continued on Page 9) political, military and economic £39,100,000, as compared with questions, on March 27 when £50,921,000 for the corresponding Japan formally secedes from the period last year. League of Nations. The agreement, it is understood, includes a ly manufactured goods.-Reuter, big loan from Japan and excludes any financial assistance from the London, To-day. United States and Great Britain.

Mr. , Ramsay MacDonald, the Japan undertakes to help China Prime Minister, had sufficiently in freeing herself "from the in- The new Portuguese sloop, Gonrecovered from his severe cold to ternational yoke" and to help her to calves Zarco, which was due to arcome to London yesterday in or- stand on her own feet. In gen- rive in the Colony yesterday from der to preside over the usual eral, the Nanking Government and Macao, has extended her visit to weekly Cabinet, but he returned to Japan will co-operate for co-exis- Macao and consequently will not ar-Chequers afterwards and will re- tence and co-prosperity. Mr. rive here until Monday. The warmain there until next week, when Wang Ching-wei; President of the ship is on a tour of all the Portuhe hopes to resume his Parliamen- Executive Yuan, has a clear con- guese colonics, and, after visiting



The schooner "Seth Parke", on which Phillips Lord (left) shows with his sailing master, Capt. Constantine Flink, is making a South Sea islands cruise, safely rode out a South Pacific hurricane last month, after sending out distress messages. The British cruiser, H.M.S. Australia, carrying H.R.H the Duke of Gloucester to England, rushed to the vessel's assistance. Lord is known to radio

### RANGERS HEARTS SEMI FINAL

### NATIONAL PUBLICITY BUREAU

Committee Of Three Appointed

NOT BETTERED

London, To-day, The National Publicity Bureau carry out a progranda work for the National Government will be established under the control of a committee consisting of Sir Kingsley Wood, the Postmaster General, Lord Hutchinson, and Mr. Malcolm Macdonald, the Premier's son and Parliamentary under-Secretary for the Dominions, representing the three parties.

Lt.-Colonel E. H. Davidson, will be the organising secretary of the Bureau which will work in close collaboration with the existing ex-

The formation of the bureau in no sense heralds the formation of National Party.-Reuter.

### BRITAIN'S TRADE INCREASES

**Export Figures Show** Big Improvement

A fresh rise in Britain's trade is \$500. London, to-day. shown in February's figures, exports being £34,098,000, which is an increase of £4,038,000, or 18 per cent. as compared with February 1984.

The increased exports were chief-

### PORTUGUESE SLOOP WILL ARRIVE HERE ON MONDAY

tary duties. -- British Wireless science in making friends with Hong Kong, will proceed to Shang-(Continued on Page 12) that and Japan.

### SENATE AMENDS MONUMENTAL RELIEF BILL

Preventing Expenditure On Additional Armament

Washington, to-day. The Senate has amended the Administration's monumental relief bill so as to prevent expenditure on additional work on munitions, warships, and military material.—Reuter.

## STRACHEY ON BAIL

last season by the odd goal in three WILL FIGHT while Aberdeen also lost to the holders in the following round by FALSE CHARGES an only goal. TO LAST DITCH

U.S. LECTURE TOUR CONTINUED

Accused Of Subversive Propaganda

New York, To-day. Mr. Evelyn John St. L. Strachey, the well-known British author, for whose arrest and deportation a warrant was issued by the Federal immigration authorities. has been released on bail of

Third Division (South) of the English Football League yesterday, He has left Chicago for Cleve-Clapton Orient holding Bristol City land, Ohio, to continue his lec- to a goalless draw in any away fixture tour. He declared that the ture, while Torquay shared two Imports were £56,302,000, which charges were absolutely false and goals at home with Millwall, who is an increase of £10,620,000. Thus that he will fight them to the last advanced one position in the League table as a result.

### HAVANA REDS IN HIDING

Government Threat Taken To Heart

Havana, To-day. The strike of Government servants and school teachers. is breaking up. The postal service are normal.

The Government threat to adopt the American method - Reuter,

### ITALY HAS PRACTICALLY ABANDONED GOLD Pound And Dollar Aided

**ABERDEEN** 

Academicals.

WILL MEET

SCOTTISH CUP

DRAW

GAMES ON MARCH 30

Hearts in their Third Round clash

(Continued on Page 12)

The draw, as cabled by Reuter,

ORIENT DRAW WITH

BRISTOL CITY

St. Johnstone Win

Over Albion

In the Scottish League, Albion

lost at home to St. Johnstone by 4

WEATHER FORECAST

v. Hearts.

v Hamilton

(Ground not yet fixed)

London, to-day.

HAMILTON

Paris, To-day. Market circles are viewing the future of the Gold Bloc with misgiving.

BELGIUM'S

DEMAND

INCREASE

Entry Into Sterling

Bloc Considered

HER IMPORTS

FRANCE MUST

A strong short interest yesterday developed against the Belgian franc, but it is felt that this currency will only fall if and when Belgium takes a decision, as the market is too narrow to per- Bombing Planer Confirm

It is stated that at the forthcoming Franco-Belgian conversations Belgium will demand that more Belgian products be imported into France, but France is already at a loss to consume such products, which are identical with her own.

It is rumoured that Belgium will ask this favour as the price of keeping the Belgian franc at its present parity, but that, if no commercial arrangements are concluded, Belgium will enter the Sterling Bloc.

It is observed that Italy London, To-day. practically abandoned gold, Glasgow Rangers, League and an 8 per cent. discount on the lira, Cup holders, will meet the Hearts and is now profiting by the ex-

in the semi-final round of the change bounty. Scottish Cup at Hampden Park on These misgivings cause March 30. In the other semi-final strength of sterling and U.S. dolgame Aberdeen will meet Hamilton lars, the latter of which is expected shortly to reach the gold The Rangers elminated the export of Paris.—Reuter.

PRINCES' VIEWS ON INDIA BILL

Issue Of "White Paper" Promised

London, to-day. The Secretary for India, Sir samuel Hoare, stated in the House (Hampden Park) of Commons yesterday that he hoped to issue, in a few days, a. "White The Ministers of Esthonia, Paper" giving the text of the Latvia and Lithuania yesterday criticisms of the Government of called separately on Sir John India Bill, as communicated by the Simon, the Foreign Secretary, Princes and their Ministers to the to express on behalf of their res-Viceroy, and the comments of the pective Governments their appro-

### tish Wireless Service. MR. MACDONALD **OUTLINES REASONS** Two games were played in the FOR WHITE PAP

WRITES ARTICLE "NEWS LETTER"

> PEACE PROSFECTS DETERIORATE

London, To-day.

goals to 2. The Saints are now in Reasons necessitating the the fourth position in the table .- adoption by the Government of the policy set forth in the recent "White Paper" on defence are referred to in an article which the Prime Minister contributes to this week's "News Letter," Moderate anticyclones cover the National labour fortnightly. central China and south Man- He says he was greatly con-

churia, pressure being highest cerned at the way in which the over the lower Yangtze Valley peace prospects of Europe were The depression is passing into deteriorating, and that a virtual. The British Ministers will stay the Pacific to the east of Japan. standstill had been reached at at the Adlon Hotel. The local forecast for to-day, as Disarmament Conference, and he The date of Mr. Eden's lindelesued by the Royal Observatory had been impressed by the supins pendent visit to Moscow is still towards public enemy No. this morning, was north-east indifference which many people under discussion with the Boylet I' has frightened the Com, winds, light to moderate; fair, in Britain seemed to display to Government, but it is hoped to munici, leaders into hiding some fog or mist in early morn- wards the trend of world arms- make an announcement shortlying. .... (Continued on Page 12) British Wireless Borvice.

Miss Grace Lee Brandon, San Antonio stenographer, appeara in court at Topeks, Kansas, to testify. for the government in the murder. trial of Major Charles A. Shepard. The former army surgeon is accused of having poisoned his wife to be free to marry Miss Brandon.

### CHENGI CAPTURED

Earlier Reports

CANTON TROOPS UNDER GENERALISSIMO

Chungking, To-day. Aeroplanes returning from bombing flights over the Communist front confirm the reports of the capture of the strategically important city of Chengi on the road between Kweiyang and Chungking. Three squadrons of Central Government aeroplanes make daily bombing flights to the fronts, Recent reports that the Kwantung and Kwangsi forces had been ordered . the Central Government not to enter Kweichow province are entirely unfounded. Generals Chen Chi-tang Pai Chung-chi have wired the Generalissimo pledging their whole-hearted support in the anti-Communist campaign and placing all the Kwangtung and Kwangsi troops at his disposal. Yesterday

### EUROPEAN PEACE **PROBLEMS**

afternoon the Generalissimo, with

Madame Chiang, inspected Chung-

king University .- Reuter.

East And West From One Question

London, To-day. British Government thereon.—Bri val of the communique issued on February 8 at the end of the London conversations.

The Ministers also stated as the view of their Governments that European security in both East and West is in fact one question and that measures to ensure security in the East are eminently to be desired. — British Wireless.

### SIR JOHN SIMON'S BERLIN VISIT

Leaving England On-Sunday Week

London, To-day, Sir John Simon, British Foreign Secretary, and Mr. Anthony Eden Lord Privy Seal, will fly to Berlin on Sunday week and the Anglo-German conversations will take place on March 25 and 28.

### SCHEDULES

PARCEL POST

A schedule of revised parcel post rates, including many reductions, exhibited in the Parcel Office, G.P.O. The rates will take effect as from 1st March, '1935

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FROM MANILA

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FOR U.S.A.

FOR STRAITS

FOR INDIA

Conto Rosso

The Uloman's Page



# London's Brilliant Apri Programme

(By MARIANNE MAYFAYRE)

Edwardian Social Round

The Hundred Years Ball which

another novel feature of April in

Town, among them being the dance

Mitchell and Mrs. Beaumont Hot-

Lady Birkenhead is arranging a

dinner and dance for April 3 at the

This will be in the spirit of Ed

wardian days, when dinner parties,

political and social, were a regular

NEW WAYS WITH

LACE

Victorian Vogue

Returns

Lace and various fancy nets will

Lace will be revived in many ways.

The old method of veiling laces and

pleasing one. For dinner frocks

There are many very attractive

frocks will show tiny puffs-in the

clear shoulder-line will prevail.

feature of London life in April.

April 2 that Mrs. Charles

they are planning is on April 30.

London. preparing for Royal guests who are "Oh to be in London now that coming to England for the Jubilee 14 April's here!" This promises to be the attitude of every hostess who The realisation that there is not is eager to play a part in the na- to be the usual break in the season this April is having its effect on 15 tional\_celebrations.\_\_\_\_

Many country houses will remain plans. The Duchess of Portland closed this April. A long week-intends to hold two ball committee end at Easter is all that important meetings in what is normally a hostesses expect to get.

month of closed shutters in May-Behind the scenes in Mayfair's fair. She expects good attendtown houses, however, everything ances, among her committee being 21 will be bustle and activity. April Lady Scarsdale, Lady Shaftesbury, will be a month of intensive pre Lady Ashfield, Lady Huntly, Lady parations. Some hostesses will be Aylesford, and Lady Rosalind North-

### HOSTESS'S TIME SHEET

So , exacting are the demands upon their time now that women are compelled to plan even their pleasure with business-like effici ency or the rigidity of the school- ham are giving for their daughters. 16 girl's time-table.

The studio portrait has disap peared from her writing desk and in its place now stands, similarlysized and framed, a 22 calendar for one month. The page

is carefully subdivided, however. and beside each day space is allocated for forenoon, lunch, afternoon and evening-in striking contrast to the days when invitation cards were dropped casually on the 15 mantelpiece.

### PAINTED LINOLEUM

Painted linoleum should never be he among the popular evening scrubbed with a hard brush, but selection for the coming season. merely wiped over with a cloth wrung out in cold water. Polish with a reliable furniture cream. nets over satins and silks is

It is particularly pretty, as so VIA SIBERIA- Letters and postards for Europe and South America many of the new half-sleeves are are forwarded "via Siberia" if so left open and full. Lace falling superscribed. away from the arm is graceful.

MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given above unless lacey capes completing dinner therwise stated, and where mails are frocks of lace. Another Victorian dvertised to close at or before 9 a.m. vogue that has returned is the use of two or more laces in one garit 5 p.m. on the previous day. AIR MAIL—Imperial Airways via ment. For example, distinctly

Singapore, Bandoeng-Amsterdam vis Ascotty in character was a deep Singapore Saigon-Marseilles via Set cream fine guipure, with lines on Correspondence for Europe and worked alternatively with fine intermediate countries will be set. cepted for transmission by these Ser. Chantilly. The belt, collar, and vices. Rates and all particulars are cuffs were heautifully shaped pieces shewn in the schedules exhibited at of a deep coffee shaded of Point-dethe General Post Office and Kowloon Venice. Interesting, too, was its Office. All letters etc., must be mark. bustling petticoat of palest beige ed "By Air Mail" and handed in at bustling petticoat of palest beige 16 the General To Post Office. Unless taffeta. superscribed for despatch by a spect | Some taffeta lace and muslin de air mail service, correspondence Mar. will be forwarded by the first service Ibi available --

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The neutral oatmeal, beige, and off-white shades of last year will give place to definite colours. Reds. rellows, various shades of light blue, and shrimp link are first I favourites.

The latest reversible printed fabric has the faintly lustrous finish which is newly fashionable. This is of a very soft texture, and the colours are guaranteed fast

Printed cotton cloths for chair and soft covers include a very delightful modern "lightning" design in various shades of brown on a buff ground, and another showing 18 white and dark brown flowers on a clear pink ground:

### DECORATIVE EVENING TREND

The new waistling is seen in a novel belt of glass thread. Shoulder straps match.

The frilly hem of a taffeta petticoat peeps out from the foot of the black velvet gown, and a dainty floral bracelet brings an affective touch of bright colour into the 1 Private debutante dances will be

### WALL LIGHTS

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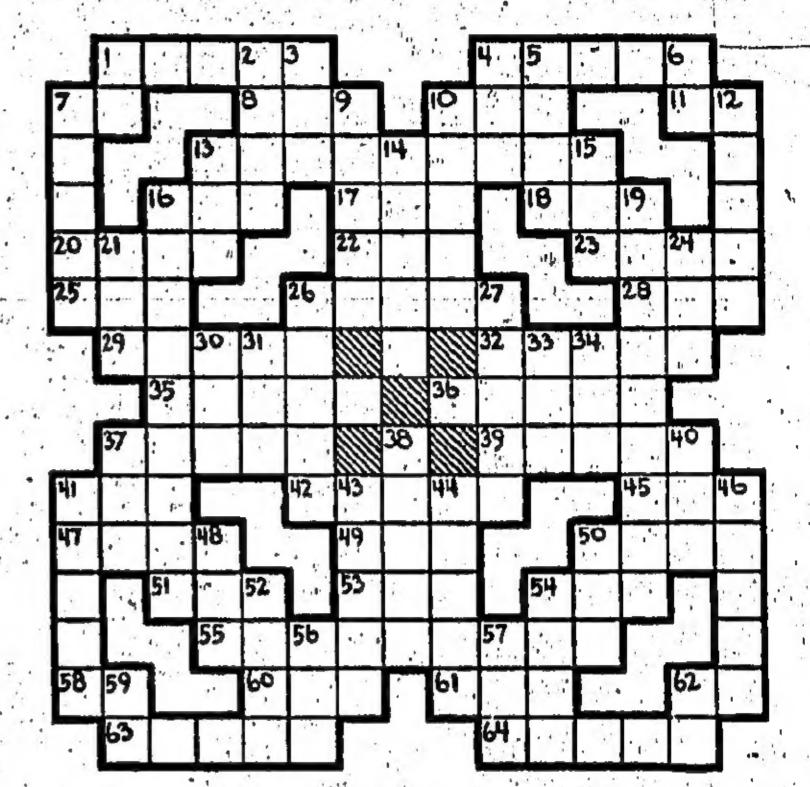
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### DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



HORIZONTAL 1-Junction 4-Gains 7-Because 8-Vigor 10-Aged 11-Conjunction 15-Pleased 16-8lok

17-Small child 61-Fish aggs 1B-Recent 20-Adherent 22-Before 23-Departed 25-Relative (abbr.) 26-A song bird (pl.) 28-A maritime distress

29-Material used for 32-Endures 35-River in France 36-Sew loosely 87-Helped 39-Boxes 41-Past

47-A church festival

42-Splash

45-Lace fabric

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)[ 49-Girl's name 50-Fright 51-Sister (short) 58-Noise 64-Hinder 65-Recled 88-Musical note 60-Part of 'To be'

62-Indefinite article 63-Part of a dress 64-Give pleasure to VERTICAL 1-You and I 2-Egg-chaped 3-Insect 4-Man's name

5-Seaport in Arabia 7-Part of a church 9-Head-dress worn by church dignitaries 10-Frequent 12-Rayes 13-Tricky 14-Inflamed, places on

the skin

VERTICAL (Cont.) 15-Condensed moisture 16-Misleading Images 19-One: from the West 21-Permit . 24-Numbers (abbr.) Goes 27-Cut 30-Quided

31-Falsehood 3-Serpent 84-Station (abbr.) 37-Time of life 88-Navigate (abbr.) 10-Ocean 41-Change the form of

for aplitting wood 44-More lucid 48-It is (contr.) 50-Hobby 62-Heavenly body

43-A V-shaped article

54-A beverage 56-Science 57-Decay 59-Plural autha 62-Near by

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's issue.

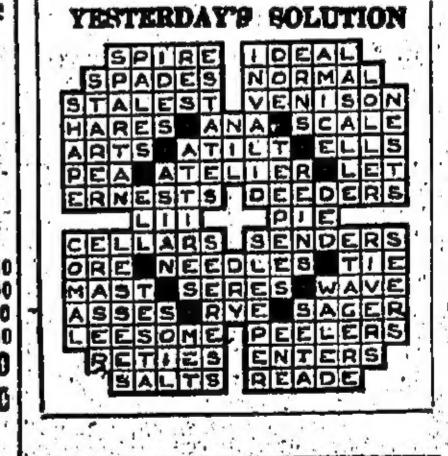
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And Notice is further hereby given that the Register and Trans fer books of the Company will be CLOSED from the 12th to the 20th day of March 1935, both days inclusive.

LIANG CHI HAO. Managing Director Hong Kong, 5th March, 1935.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE SIXTY-SIXTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the undersigned on FRI-DAY, the 29th March 1935, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December 1984.

The SHARE REGISTER and TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 16th to the 29th March, 1985, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON &

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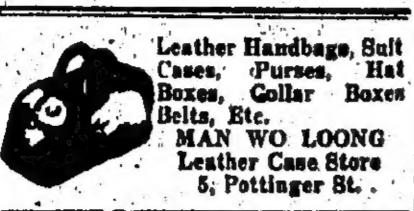
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The TRANSFER BOOK of the Company will be CLOSED from the Office, No. 3A, Wyndham St, Tele- 18th March to the 26th March, 1935,

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GENERAL NOTICES

Hong Kong, 12th March, 1935.

LADY MARIA CHRISTINE CHATER DECEASED.

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BRIDGE NOTES

Information Given By Penalty Double by Ely Culbertson.

There is a certain very pugnaclous type of player who just loves to make a vindictive slam double. There are few calls so gratifying to the Bridge sadist-and few which so often resemble the well-known process of cutting off one's nose to discountenance one's face. 'As have often pointed out, the noninformatory type of double is often most informatory, and proper allowance for this fact should be made before taking the fatal plunge. The double may steer declarer into a makable slam contract in another suit or in notrump, or it may, by locating the outstanding trumps, give him the clue to n inesse, or even a series of finesses which otherwise would be unthinkable. For this reason it is a good rule not to double a slam contract in a suit unless your trump tricks are absolutely certain and, in additon, a successful slam in another suit or in notrump is impossible.

In the following hand West's double gave South the key to a successful finesse not only against the Jack but against the nine an well, thus enabling him to fulfil with ease a contract which would not otherwise have been fulfilled by anyone but a very lucky lunatic. South, Dealer

North-South vulnerable

S.-A 10 8 H-K J 10 8 6 D.-A 9 C.-K.Q 5

VEST: S.-J 9 7 6 8 H.-Q 9 4 D.—5 C.-J 8 6 4

OUTH:-S.-K Q 5 4 2 H.—A 7 3 D.-K Q J 2 C,-A.

EAST:-H.-5 2 D.-10 8 7 6 4 8

C.-10 9 7 8 2 The bidding: North West 3HPass Pass Pass Pass Pass

tricks, heard North made a forcing Searle and George Billings. takeout which guaranteed at Managers of business firms and least three and a half more.

held in the Office of the Company, 2 The Collection is to begin on but that the contract of seven scenes.

Dummy to see that there could be no card with which West might "THE VANISHING SHADOW"- ter is hardly on his way when the hope to win a trick outside of the trump suit. With only four trumps to the Jack West would surely fear the loss of his guarded honour through a finesse; so West obvious-

East would be void.

After winning the club Ace on jestic Theatre. showed out the subsequent play scientific rays. mond lead to the Jack put South mond, and Sidney Bracy. in again to draw West's remaining and King and Queen of clubs in finesse is for a nine-spot



Smiling broadly for the first time since her husband's trial got under way, Mrs. Bruno Hauptmann and the chief defence counsel, Mr. Edward J. Relliy, enjoy a cheering message received in the Flemington courtroom.

# Amusements

Cinema Notes

"A WICKED WOMAN"-QUEEN'S THEATRE

The picture, a dramatic characthe amazing dramatic plot and own fatal cost. there is also a sensational courtroom denouement.

Jean Parker is engaging and still powerfully dramatic as the way-ward daughter, wand William performance as the newspaper edi- the King's Theatre. tor who becomes the heroine's One of the most outstanding

bert Taylor, Betty Furness, Zelda room with a vast set of Rococo de-It was inevitable that a grand Sears, Dewitt Jennings, Paul Har-sign, 8,000 square feet in area. slam should be reached after South, vey, Marylin Harris, Sterling Hol- "The Queen's Affair" is set in with his four and a half honour loway, Betty Jene Graham, Jackie modern times, and is essentially a

### "CONVENTION CITY"-ORIENTAL THEATRE

for the Jubilee \$1 Collection are in spades, with all four "Convention City," the First and Fernand Granvey is given the now available at 6 Ning Yuen Ter- Aces placed by the "four to five" National picture, now at the opportunity to make use of his race, temporary headquarters of the Notrump Convention, South knew Oriental Theatre, is a lively satire splendid light-comedy talents. St. John Ambulance Brigade; tele-that the combined hands contained on the doings of business men at Gibb McLaughlin, Muriel Aked, eight spades headed by the A.K.Q. a convention with their wives a Miles Milleson, and Clifford Hea-The boxes can be obtained from and since the chances are appro- long way off. They get into more theriev lend excellent support, TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN Mr. A. Morris, at the address men- ximately two to one that five out- love tangles than they can get out that the Ordinary Yearly tioned above, or from Mr. S. F standing trumps will be divided of. Amazing results occur when Meeting of Shareholders will be Balfour, of the Colonial Secretariat three and two, there is no doubt two of the wives arrive on the

A large and talented cast of Jackie Cooper, the boy star, is MONDAY, 25th March, 1935, at May 1 the boxes should be circulat- West's double is the only factor star players are in the picture, featured with Lila Lee, Addison Noon, for consideration of the ed; when filled, they should be sent imaginable which could have al headed by Joan Blondell as a su- Richards, John Wray, and Gavin Directors' Report and Statement of to the Hong Kong and Shanghai lowed the contract to be made. By per vamp who gets every one Gordon, in Paramount's current Accounts for the year ending 81st Bank, which has kindly undertaken no conceivable reasoning could into trouble, Adolphe Menjou, release, "Pardners," based on South have failed to play the spade Mary Astor, Dick Powell, Guy Will James' book of the same King as the first trump lead. But Kibbee, Frank McHugh, Patricia name. after the double, when West open Ellis, Ruth Donnelly, Hugh Her- Jackie plays the role of Scooter ed the four of clubs; South had bert, Hobart Cavanaugh, Grant O'Neal brought up in Chicago and only to look at his hand and the Mitchell and Gordon Westcott. sent West to a ranch by his father

# MAJESTIC THEATRE

A thrilling mystery drama, the 'Dobe Jones,' the "lone cow-boy" Second Chapter, each a film by it- who does not want the boy. self, of "The Vanishing Shadow." Scooter learns that Dobe's wife ly must have had five trumps and featuring Onslow Stevens and Ada has run away with Jim Weston Ince, is now showing at the Ma- and that Dobe's aim in life now.

trumps. At this point South need. Dummy won the last three tricks. ed to exercise some care lest he be Through, this extreme case we blocked. On the King of spades a find an admirable 'illustration of small heart was thrown; on the ow important the bidding can be Queen of spades, the last trump in determining when and how to led, it was necessary for South to finesse. In most cases informs discard. Dummy's diamond Ace, tion received from the bidding can This unblocked the diamond suit tell only which opposing hand The National Government has anand the King, and Queen of dia should be assumed to hold a miss nounced in Nanking that on the monds could be led, furnishing dis- ing King or Queen; but the range occasion of this year's anniversary cards for two more of Dummy's of Information extends to the point of Conficius birthday, twelve other hearts. Now the King of hearts illustrated above in which the first leading Chinese philosophers will be

### "CHRISTOPHER STRONG"-STAR THEATRE

An adventurous aviatrix who daringly writes youth, romance and adventure in the skies; and a ture (Rossini). British statesman who has delved into national documents for 20 years with the same plous faith-Mady Christians, the beautiful fulness that he has devoted to his Viennese stage and screen star, is wife, figure in a stirring romance featured in her first American by Katharine Hepburn and Colin Report picture, M. G. M.'s "A Wicked Clive in RKO-Radio Pictures"

"Christopher Strong." terisation of a woman's soul shows Cynthia. Darrington has sought London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Fox-Trot the glamorous star of "The Waltz speed and altitude records in her Dream" as a modern American quest for thrills so diligently that Rugby Mid-day Press News, Further Waltzloved ones while herself in the mance. And Chris has been a deshadow of a fearful past. Based voted husband and patriotic diplogives Miss Christians a role that pleasures. Cynthia wrests Chris 840 k.c's. covers every human emotion. Co- from his wife, but finally assures medy interludes are woven into the couple's reconciliation at her

### "THE QUEEN'S AFFAIR"— KING'S THEATRE

Anna Neagle and Fernand Gra-Henry injects both comedy and avey are starred in this magnificdrama as the youthful reporter lient British film. "The Queen's Charles Bickford gives a virile Affair." which is now showing at

scenes in the film is the coronation Others adequately cast are Ro-scene, laid in the palace throne-

> subject in which comedy and satire are of outstanding importance. For the first time in her career Anna Neagle is called upon to play in several comedy sequences,

### "PARDNERS"—ALHAMBRA THEATRE

when the latter faces arrest, 8000father commits suicide. The boy leaves for the ranch and is met by

is to find them and kill Jim.

the first round, South, therefore. The picture deals with hair- The boy's grief endears him to led a spade and, when West played raising crimes and strange de- Dobe, who promises not to seek low, finessed the eight. Since East structions by means of strange his revenge. He finds Jim and Eleanor, but tells them that he will was simple. The Ace of hearts Others in the cast, who share in not molest them, but Jim, fearing constituted an entry to take a the innumerable thrilling scenes a trap, reaches for his gun. 'Dobe second spade finesse, and a dia are James Durkin, William Des returns the fire, wounding Scooter. 'Dobe's, love for the boy finally brings him peace and happiness and saves him from the justice that threatens to send him to the

### CHINESE PHILOSOPHERS TO BE HONOURED

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# TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

he following programme will broadcasted to-day from the living Kong Broadcasting Station A.H.W. on a wave length of 855 metres, (845 K.C.'S).

DANCE MUSIC FROM HONG RONG HOTEL Z.E.K. Programme 12.30-2.15 p.m .- European Pro-

12.80 p.m.-London and New York Stock & Commodity Quotations. 12.85-1 p.m.-Recorded Music. 1 p.m.-Local Time and Weather 1.03 p.m.—Resorded Music.

1.80 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletine. Rugby Press News, etc. 2.15 p.m.-Close Down. 5-8 p.m .- European Programme. 6-6 p.m.-Hong Kong Hotel Dance Orchestra (by courtesy of the Manage-

6-6.80 p.m.-Childrens' Studio Con-6.80-7 p.m.-Hong Kong Hotel Dance Orchestra (by courtesy of the Manage-7 p.m.-Closing Local Stock Quota-

7.03-7.20 p.m -- Yocal Gems. Faust (Gounod) Cavalleria Rusticana (Mascagni) Parliacci (Leoncavallo) 7.20-7.33 p.m.—'Cello Solos Bestrice Harrison. Serenade ("Hassan"—Delius) Melody (Dawes)

Adagio (Marcello, arr. Salmon) (a) Pastorale; (b) Reel (Cyril Scott). 7.88-7.46 p.m. William Tell-Over-7.45-8 p.m.-A Recital by Danny Quotations.

Malone (Tenor). Her name is Mary (Ramsey) When Irish eyes are smiling (Ball) 3. Sweetheart Darlin' (Stothart) Love's Roses (Broones). 8. p.m.-Local Time and Westner

8.03-10.30 p.m.-Chinese Studio Con-In her plane in the skies, Lady 9.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, 10.30 p.m.-Reuter Press Bulletins,

woman, struggling to protect her she has forgotten love and ro- London Stock and Commodity Quota-10.85 p.m.—Close Down. 8.30-10 p.m .- European Recorded on the story by Anne Austin, it mat so long that he missed youth's Music from Z.E.K. on a Frequency of

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9.35-10 p.m.—Talkie Tunes. Fex-Trot-Song of the Dreamer ("Marie Galante")

Piane Solo-I'll String along with you ("Twenty Million Sweethearts") Raie da Costa

Vocal Duet-I'll see you again ("Bitter Sweet") The Night is Young ("The Night is

When I grow too old to dream ("The Night is Young") Frankie and Johnny ("Frankie and

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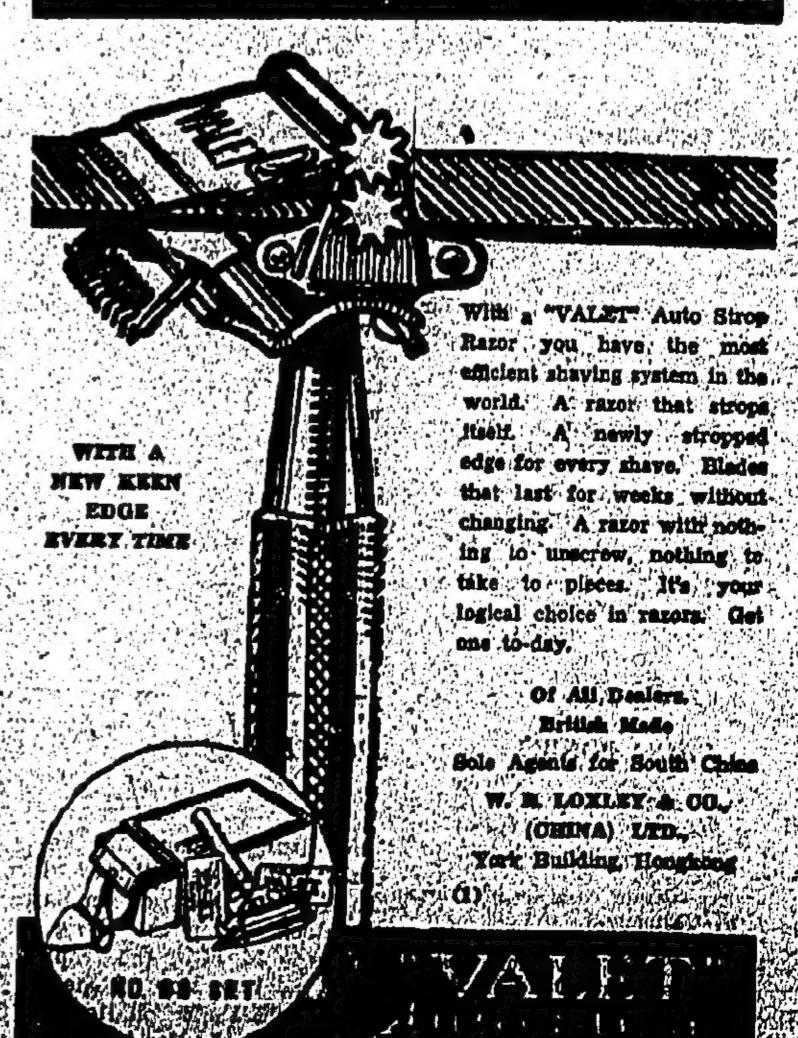
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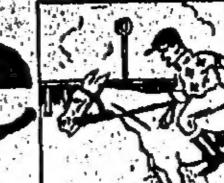
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### STRAIGHT WAI TONG KONG PAUL

### SENIOR SHIELD GAMES FOR WEEK-END PROGRAMME

CLUB CLASH WITH POLICE:

ATHLETIC MEET SOUTH CHINA "B"

Two Senior "Shield, semi-final round encounters between the Club and the Police and the Athletic and South China "B" will feature the week-end soccer programme.

In addition, there are two Junior Shield semi-final encounters which will also be decided on Saturday and on Sunday.

The Association have taken the opportunity of playing off postponed games in the First, Second and Third Divisions this week-end. .The following is the full Shield and League; programme.



### Saturday

SENIOR SHIELD (Caroline Hill, 4.15 p.m.)

Referce J. E. White, linesmen S. M. Chapman and Cpl. Twaites: JUNIOR DIVISION v R. Engineers (Caroline Hill, 2.30 p.m.)

Referee J. H. Lawrence, linesmen Ip Kau-kbo and Ng Kam-chuen. FIRST DIVISION v FUSILIERS (Kowloon, 4.30 p.m. SECOND DIVISION

y University (Causeway Bay, 3.00 p.m.) (Kowloon, 8.00 p.m.) THIRD DIVISION R. ENGINEERS v Police

Sunday

SENIOR SHIELD South China "B" v ATHLETIC (Sockunpoo, 4.15 p.m.) RefereeShoobrook, linesmen E. G. Isley and C. J. Malyon. JUNIOR DIVISION

W BAST LANCS (Sookunpoo, 2.30 p.m.) Referee H. H. Heath, linesmen & Archer and H. H. Huntley. FIRST DIVISION V NAVY

(Happy Valley, 4.30 p.m.) PROBABLE SECOND DIVISION y Fusiliers NAVY (Causeway Bay, 3 00 p.m.) THIRD DIVISION (Happy Valley, 3.00 p.m.)

JOCKEY CLUB CLASSIFICATION

AUSTRALIAN AND CHINA PONIES

Jockey Club classification of Aus-present the Probable Civilian tralian and China ponies, as issued hockey team to play against another on March 11, 1935: AUSTRALIAN PONIES

Bronze Era, Cold Morning, Derby Day, day's trial. Mount Pilatus, Nell Gwyn, Night Star, U. B. Souza (Radio) and F. Fox-Hunter, Get That, Just That Racing Heart, Rose-Ann, Saucy Face, Fowler (Y.M.C.A.); E. F. Selk Southern Cross, Streamline. But After That, Empire Day, Fairy, Andrew's), W.A. Reed (Club) and Glorious Star, Goldsmith, Haleyon, Haleyon, High Finance, Julius Caesar, Lady E. L. Gosano (University); G. E. R. Whitte, Lazy Lady, Midnight Star, Divett (Club), Parker (Police), G. land Star, Young Captain

"A" Class:—Consack's Beauty, Diana

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Sadko, Soldier of Britain,

CHINA PONIES



Mr. Mackie's Invermark with Mr. L. G. Frost in the saddie, being led in after winning the Tytam Handicap to pay \$27.70 at last Saturday's Extra Race Meeting. (King's Studio).

10 PLAYERS ROUT BRIGADE IN FAST GAME

SENIOR GIVEN TOO. MUCH ROPE

S. REED SCORES TWO GOALS

(By "STICKS") Playing with only ten men King's Park yesterday, the Club defeated a poor H.K.S.R.A. team by the odd goal in five after leading by three clear goals for threequarters of the game.

The Club defence featured rather scrappy game, E. V. Reed, at left-back, being outstanding.

during this period that they scored 100 per .cent. standing in the their first goal.

Brigade Under Strength

The Brigade were not at full strength, Aya Singh and Dost Mohammed being greatly missed from the forward line. They were substituted by Perse and Khuda

Bux, respectively. (Continued on Page 11)

CIVILIAN HOCKEY XI beat Spary and Coombes.

FINAL TRIAL FOR SUNDAY MORNING

> ALL CLUBS ARE WELL REPRESENTED

At a meeting of the Civilian Selection Committee held last night, The following is the Hong Kong the following were picked to relocal team on Sunday morning at King's Park. A final selection of Burges. the team to meet the Shanghai "A" Class:-Able Amazon, Atlas, German Hockey Club on March Australian Boy, Bag Tor, Bobniak Star 27, will be made following Sun-

(Y.M.C.A.) and G. Somers "B" Class :- Alacrity Bagi Umpat, (Y.M.C.A.); S. A. Bliss (St.

## MCEWAN YOUNGER DARTS LEAGUE

H.K.S.R.A. Sergeants' Narrow Victory

RESULTS OF TWO GAMES

Only two games were played in the fourth round of the McEwan-Younger Darts League last night, tong's weakest point was his kill the Chief and Petty Officer's Club defeating the Royal Engineers Sergeanth' Mess, and the Water Police beating the Hong Kong Singapore Br gade Sergeants' Mess.

Playing at the Naval Dockyard last night the Chief and Petty For the first fifteen minutes the Officers' Club easily defeated the Club played with only nine men, Royal Engineers Sergeants' Mess Sommers arriving late, and it was by 7 points to 2 to retain their

> The scores were:-Elvy (C. and P.O.C.) beat Spary. Webstead (C. and P.O.C.) beat Fisher (C. and P.O.C.) beat Tams. Chambers (C. and P.O.C.) lost to

Sargent (C. and P.O.C.) beat Eaton. Yeoman (C. and P.O.C.) beat Snow-

Webstead and Sargent (C. and P.O.C.) beat Eaton and Moreton. Chambers and Elvy (C. and P.O.C.) ost to Snowball and Tams. Yeoman and Fisher (C. and P.O.C.)

H.K.S. Brigade Sgts. win.

In a very close encounter the Hong Kong Singapore Brigade Sergeants' Mess just defeated the nine at the Tsim Tsa Tsul Police net and would have done better to made at Wembley, when, on April Water Police by the odd point in Station last night.

The scores were: Wright (Water Police) lost to Roach.

best Siddall and Thomas.

Alexander (Water Police) lost

Paton (Water Police) beat Siddall. Hughes and Alexander (Water Police) lost to Morris and Thompson. lost to Burges and Roach,

> RADIO'S MAMAK WIN OVER SUFFOLK

Saturday's Climax To Caer

"B" Class:—Bay View, Bright View,
Brilliant Star, Hetman, Hydroplane,
King's Bounty, King's Fancy, King's
A fitting climax to the Caer, Both teams have secured 14
Jubilee, Macaroni, New Star, Oak Bay,
Clark Cup series will take place on points, although the champions
Ribble Rose-Queen, Soldier of China. Ribble, Rose-Queen, Soldier of China. the Y.M.C.A. ground on Saturday have recorded one more win than L. Ferster (ser.) 6-4, 6-2. Class;—Ace v of Aces, Arctic afternoon, when the Hong Kong their rivals, who secured four Star, Attention, Bayardo, Bistre, Ladies, holders of the trophy ever points through drawn games. Bold Colonel, Bonny Dundee, Bright since the inception of the tourns. On March 2 both teams were Burton (426) 6-0, 6-4 Star Cavalcade. Chateau Bay ment meet their challengers the surprisingly held to draws al Stabb (ser) s. o. 6-6

Clear View, Diogenes. Don. Estover. St. Andrew's Ladies in the play-off though half-way through the afters

First L'Plybynight, Flying, Tourist St. Andrew's Ladies in the play-off though half-way through the afters (Continued on Page 11)

## CLUB PAIR BEATEN

PEARCE PLAYS WELL BUT SCOONES VERY ERRATIC

RICKETTS SHOWS

FIRDOS KHAN SURPRISES

(By "REFEREE")

Some fairly good tennis was witnessed on the Hong Kong Cricket Club courts yesterday when Paul Kong and Lee Wai-tong, the Chinese Recreation Club pair, defeated T. A. Pearce and P. H Scoones by 6-3, 6-2, in their Open Doubles match which was featured INTER-HONG

by good individual play.

Although the Chinese pair established an early lead, Pearce and his partner rallied splendidly and were unlucky not to have pulled off the first set, weakness at the net and over-driving losing them valuable points.

Paul Kong delighted with drives from the baseline, but was erratio overhead. Lee Wal-tong shaped poorly at the start and was con sistently double-faulting in his ser-

Lee's Weak Net Play

He volloyed well and improved as the game progressed. Lee Waias he invariably sent the ball either game. out of the court or into the net.



G. R. M. Ricketts, the Oxford Blue, who entered the Third Round of the Open Bingles Championship by beating F. H. Kwok, right, in straight sets at the H.K.C.C. yesterday .- (King's Studio).

Souzae was the outstanding British athletic history will be ball instead of attempting to inter meeting for both sexes will be JAPANESE TOUR have let Pearce deal with the high 6, a combined indoor championship cept them.

Pearce served well and often A.A.A. Hughes (Water Police) best Morris. flashed over an ace. He played The men's association have ar-Penfold (Water Police) best Thomas. splendidly in the fifth, sixth, and ranged six events, and the women's splendidly in the fifth, sixth, and seventh games and was mainly programme will include weight Part In Summer Sports to instrumental in a successful come-putting and high and long jumps.

Bad Understanding

to retrieve a deep lob, leaving the ners at what promises to be a dents' Championship Contests in tennis championship of Miami net unprotected for the return. (Continued on Page 5)

OPEN SINGLES G. R. M. Ricketts beat F. H. Kwok 6-2, 6-2 Firdos Khan beat Liang Sal-wah 6-4, 6-2

HANDICAP SINGLES

M; N. Cooles (ser.) best Dr.



The Hong Kong Electric Company's football team which yesterday trounced the Hong Kong Tramways, Ltd., by five clear goals in their friendly soccer encounter at Happy Valley. (King's Studio)

# SOCCER WIN

Souza's Brilliant Display

TRAMWAY'S DETERIORATE IN SECOND HALF

The five goals' defeat of the Hong Kong Tramways by the Hong

Cheung Tak-kwan, the Tram- of 7 goals to 1. fortunate to tip the ball into his game, the Colours could not make netted from a pass by Frost to own net to give the Electric their use of their chances in the same give Ewo the lead. fourth goal.

Electric Open Scoring

moving constantly from one end of and gave a good showing with the who scored from a corner kick, the field to the other. The Tram. shots directed at him. ways were inclined to kick too freely, and, although they manoccasions they were unable to were quite good, with Ash making shot past Cairns.

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INDOOR ATHLETICS AT WEMBLEY

British Sporting History Next Month

staged by the A.A.A. and Women's

in addition to track races.

ITALY BEATS FRANCE AT COLLER

ARMY FOOTBALL TRIAL DEFENCES SHINE IN GAME SPOILT BY HOT WEATHER FOR ELECTRIC

THOMPSON EXCELS AS PIVOT

LINCOLN PLAYERS GIVEN RESPITE

(By "ROVER") In an endeavour to find the Kong Electric Co. in their friendly strongest side to represent the football encounter yesterday was Army in the Kotewall Cup and Lai rather surprising, considering the Wah Cup games, a football trial promising display given by the was held at Sookunpoo yesterday, Jardine's goalmouth, where Wilformer in the early stages of the in which the Colours were defeated liams, Dodwell' inside-left, and by the Whites by the large margin Smith, the outside-left, both miss-

effective way as their opponents.

Durham was not at his best, and, Settling down to much better Souza was the outstanding although making several brilliant form in the second half, Dodwell's player on display, and con-saves, appeared uneasy during played an improved game, and, tributed three spectacular goals. most of the game. Rowlands was after pressing for 20 minutes, The game opened fiercely, the ball not troubled to the same extent, equalised through Howe, the pivot,

Ash's Good Display The defences on both sides came up against his hand as he positional play and well-placed

Knight, Whites' right-back, was also good. unsteady in the first period, but quick in tackling and clearing.

(Continued on Page 5)

Tokyo, Mar. 8. A special track is to be con- About 20 Japanese student structed inside the Empire Pool athletes will tour Europe this sumfor the championships, while the mer engaging in contests with Mattison and Gorrard (Water Police) have been, and there were often A.A.A. will present newly-designed teams of various nations and to held the winner's share of the

nounced to-day. dule, the group will leave here Press. late in June by way of Siberia for

Second England International Hockey Trial This Afternoon Lawn Tennis Open Singles

The second England hockey trial seen much lately, but his exhibit Tsul Wai-pui by Tsul Yun-pui

takes place this afternoon on the tion for the "Y" against Macao a Y.M.C.A. ground, King's Park, month ago will go down in local Club Championship when some new talent will be seen hockey history. Cox of the East Lance is being

Fowler, the "Y" custodisp. given a trial at left-back while makes his first appearance for Co- Neighbour, Yeomans, and Farmer lours and should give a good ac will form the intermediate line. count of himself. He has not been (Continued on Page 11)

### DODWELLS' BEAT EWO AT FOOTBALL

WINNERS STAGE LATE RECOVERY

BOWKER'S LAST MINUTE WINNING GOAL

Displaying good form in the econd-half of the game, Dodwell & Co. rallied to defeat Jardine's by the odd goal in three yestorday in their friendly soccer encounter on the Hong Kong Football Club

Although early indications pointed to a win by Ewo, Teen Cheang Dodwells) deserved their victory through their combined efforts

fter the interval. Commencing with one man short, Ewo dominated play in the first half, although several excellent solo efforts by their forwards found Wright and Mundy, the Dodwell backs, and Cairns, the custo-

dian, too sound for them: Smith's Outstanding Game

Smith played an outstanding game at outside-left for Dodwells and his shot from the wing after. 15 minutes' play was unlucky not to have found the not.

Mills, at outside-right for Ewo, hit the cross-bar, and two minutes later Cairns saved a penalty kick

Dodwell's Unlucky The ball was then transferred to

ed chances. . A the way's centre-half, was rather un- Although enjoying much of the Just before the interval Duncan

Howe Equalises

Frost played an excellent game for Jardine's, and was unfortunate not to have scored when the ball.

Hill And Railton Shine Hill, at left-inside, and Railton. clearances. He had a good part at left-back, were two other outner in Swain, who covered him standing players for Ewo. The goal-keepers of both teams were

In the last two minutes of the settled down to a good display game, and, in spite of White's great later, while his partner, Steel, was effort to save Ewo from defeat, as firm as a rock, and prompt and Bowker. Dodwells' inside-left broke through to score the winning goal. Dodwells:-M. A. Cairns; W. Wright, H. Mundy: R. K. Valentine, A. Howe, J. Hunter; H. W. Brown, H. O.

Bramble, A. G. Williams, A. C. Bowker, Jardines:—A. R. White; H. Hopkins, M. Railton; E. A. Gaubert, F. S. Nicholls, P. Leefe; Mills, J. Duncan, L. G. Frost, G. Hill and T. Parsons.

RUSSLIN WINS MIAMI PRO TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP

Miami Beach, Fla., Feb. 25. Hans Russlin of Germany to-day dents' Athletic Federation an- day from Karel Kozeluh of Czechoslovakia in an interesting battle According to a tentative sche- that went five setts -- United

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Police v. Royal Engineers 8. A. Rumjahn v. Leung Ping-chiu

A. K. Mackensle W. T. A. Pearce Handleap Stagles

L. G. Robertson V. M. Pagh H. J. Armstrong V. T. C. Monaghan.

combination and understanding.

Each man must have as his object playing at home.1

tive the opponents goalmouth.

Each man must keep!his eye upon

that objective. This means that

he has to watch the progress of the

Keeping your eye on the ball is

the first step towards ball control.

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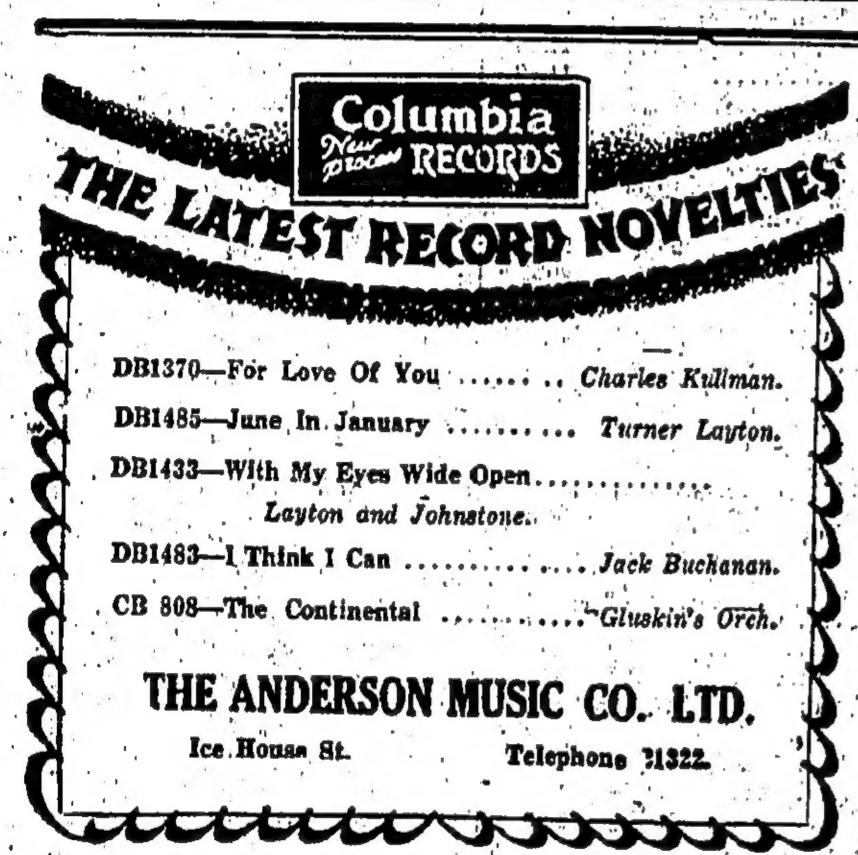
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# CLUB PAIR

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The Chinese pair took the first three games fairly comfortably, by defeating S. W. Liang by 6-4 with an occasional good stroke by 6-2. their opponents. The fourth game, Lee Wai-tong's service game, was miso annexed, but not until a long Singles Championship will feature struggle had ensued between Paul to-day's tennis programme at Kong and Pearce in a volleying Hong Kong Cricket Club, which

### H.K.C.C. Pair In Comeback

game and thereafter he and his younger brother, Tsui Yun-pui, in pective right-wingers, came up to partner swept all before them, tak- what promises to be a good exhibit the form of English or Edmunds; of efficiency in kicking, trapping the

The Cricket Club pair eventually Paul Kong. veteran Chinese

G. R. M. Ricketts, the Oxford day Blue, had an easy entry into the Third Round of the Open Singles also feature the programme. Championship when he beat F. H. Kwok, a promising left-handed of OPEN SINGLES player by 6-2, 6-2,

Ricketts' reach and height proved pul. the downfall of the Chinese player. whose lobs and placements very garely succeeded.



### To-day's Games

Three . matches in the 'Open' commences at 4.30 p.m.

Tsui Wai-pui, holder of the effective in that position. Pearce won his second service Colony Singles title, meets his Neither Cox nor Mather, the res-

The holder has not yet produced the two-left-wingers, he was not giving and receiving passes, and so Leading by 4 games to 3 the his best tennis and there is a like-up to Baldry's standard. Chinese pair staged a comeback lihood that his younger brother The teams were altered slightly, To be a safe and efficient con-

drew level, but the Chinese draw Davis Cup player, will be meeting The final selection will probably either side. away confidently to take the sat a clever and energetic player in M. be made from Rowlands or DurReach-Thomas, and this match is be made from Rowlands or Dur
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Two Club championship matches Higgins, Ridley and Baldry.

To-day's Programme S. A. Rumjahn v. Loung Ping-shiu. Tsui Wai-pui (holder) v Tsui Yun-

Paul Kong v M. Beach-Thomas. HANDICAP SINGLES

was weak on his back-hand and HANDICAP DOUBLES

poor in his anticipation.

E. L. H. Shute and Capt. E. ManRicketts produced flashes of play ners (-30) v. Lieut. Comdr. Stapleton

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Whites:—Rowlands: Sknight and Ponies. Winner:—A Copy 2nd:—

Whites:—Rowlands: Sknight and Ponies. Winner:—A Copy 2nd: which should see him reach the and Lieut Comdr. Besant (-1.8).

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP J. Barrow v G. R. M. Ricketts. Firdos Khan surprised the critics A. K. Mackenzie v. T. A. Pearce.

## SECRETS FOR SOCCER RANGER'S SUCCESS

## FIRST PRINCIPLES BALL CONTROL

(By Stanley Matthews, Stoke City's International Outside-Right)

DALL CONTROL IS ACWAYS VITALLY IMPORTANT, BOTH D TO ATTACKERS AND DEFENDERS. YOU OFTEN SEE A FOOTBALL TEAM WHO CAN TACKLE, SHOOT, ATTACK. AND DEFEND, BUT SOMEHOW THE RUN OF THE BALL SEEMS TO BE AGAINST THEM.

In many respects their work may be brilliant. Yet they fail because they cannot keep the ball safe. Their passes are inter-

because they cannot keep the Dail Sale. Their passes are intercepted, and their attacking schemes become disorganised.

THE RUN OF THE BALL MAY BE DETERMINED BY LUCK. THE INFLUENCE OF WEATHER AND GROUND CONDITIONS MUST BE TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT. BUT IF YOU BELIEVE THAT CONTROLLING GRIMSBY (-) v Blackburn (-) THE BALL IS SUCH A CHANCY BUSINESS, YOU WILL HAVE TO ACKNOWLEDGE THAT ALL VICTORIES ARE THE RESULT OF GOOD LUCK, WHILE DEFEATS ARE DUE TO BAD LUCK—AN ATTITUDE OF MIND WHICH SHOULD NEVER BE TOLERATED BY FOOTBALLERS.

FIRST DIVISION

CHELSEA (1) v Leeds (1)

EVERTON (3) v Arsenal (1)

GRIMSBY (-) v Blackburn (-)

Hudders'd (4) v PORTSM'TH

Leicester (3) v Birming'M

PRESTON (-) v Middlesbro' (
BUNDERL'D (4) v Stoke (1)

Tottenham (5) v M'TER C.

Controlling the ball under all ball safe. In his every action he Wolves (8) conditions of weather and must endeavour to advance his ground, and in spite of vigorous team's interests while ensuring that opposition, depends mainly upon the opponents do not gain posses- Barnsely (-) v NEWCASTLE (-) sion of the ball, ability an experience.

team as a whole to play the ball cautious show a decided lack of con-Port Vale (0) WEST HAM (0) safely and efficiently. You must fidence: A bold, aggressive policy S'FIELD U. (-) v Norwich (-) control the run of the ball by prov- is always to be recommended. But Southampton (2) v FULHAM (0) ing stronger and more efficient than to pursue such a policy, you must Swanson (1) v BURY (1) your opponents. There is no other have a fair standard of ability so THIRD DIVISION (North) way of ensuring more victories than that you do not take too many risks. Accrington (2) v. TRANMERE (2)

Keeping The Ball Safe

Each player, whether he is an tery of own controlling the ball is DONCASTER (1) v Mansfield (0) attacker or a defender, has the de-large extent, controlling the ball is Gateshead (-) v Lincoln (-)

### ARMY FOOTBALL TRIAL

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energy and worked hard, Robson tween the half-back line and the Queen's P.R. (-) v MILLWALL (-) and Keneghan being particularly attack. outstanding. The former gave a Each man will know exactly SWINDON (3) v Clapton (Q) splendid account of himself, show- where he should be positioned on Torquey (1) COVENTRY (3) ing good distribution and keeping any occasion. No player will look his left-wing well supplied with the around in vain for the man who

Thompson outshone Lawton in upon ability to manipulate the ball, Falkick (2) the centre-half position, but was so that goals are scored regularly. Clyde (3) none too accurate with his passes, Your team's total of successful HEARTS (4) ley, the Whites, right-half, nearly Saving goals is just as necessary ST. MIRREN (1) v Ayr (1) with good ground passes. .

Howlett and Horner were two best forwards on view, and showed themselves to be fine op portunists whenever an opportunity arose. They each scored ball. three times, and gave the other forwards innumerable chances.

Howlett's Good Headwork

Howlett was especially good with his headwork, and, on yesterday's touch with the run of the ball, by goal-mouth. form, will give Ridley, who has not keen observation, you will acquire After this the game took on a for the inside-left position.

Sandford put in a lot of hardwork for the Colours, but most of his efforts were wasted by Morton who was decidedly below form,

and could accomplish little right. Morton Wrongly Positioned

'Morton's best position is undoubtedly at centre-half, where he seldom gives a poor display; his anticipation. clever headwork makes him doubly

and while Griffen was the best of ball, keeping the ball at his feet,

when Scoones repeatedly drove out may cause an upset." as several of the Lincoln players troller, you must be able to kick of court from deep lobs by Lee S. A. Rumjahn, former holder of were unable to turn out, Their with either foot. You have to be W. Stoker (Captain) and J. K. Sloans the title, meets Leung Ping-chiu in Sports were held on Tuesday, fol-able to maintain possession of the H. Souza, Chan Siu-man and W. E. Paul Kong and his partner took a Third Round encounter, and lowing a strenuous week-end of ball in spite of vigorous opposition, a respite from the game.

Yesterday's game, played in a hot sun, was not conducive to energetic football, and the display served up was very scrappy.

The Colours scored first through Sandford, but the Whites quickly equalised through Howlett, In the L. G. Robertson (scr.) v M. Pagh second half further goals were obtained for the Whites by Howlett (2), Horner (8) and Beasley. Steele: Grindley, Thompson and Rob-

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F.A. CUP SEMI-FINALS

English F. A. Cup

SEMI-FINAL ROUND

BROMWICH v Bolton (At Leeds) Y WEDNESDAY FIRST DIVISION

v PORTSMTH (0) Y BIRMING'M (7)

SECOND DIVISION

Bradford C. (8) v PLYMOUTH (4) It is equally the responsibility of This does not mean a safety-first M'STER U. (2) v Blackpool (0) each individual player and of the policy. The team who are over-Oldham (4) v NOTTS F. (1)

Risk is reduced to a minimum CHESTER (0) when a team have attained a mas- CREWE (4) v Carlisle (0) Each player, whether he is an tery of ball control. To a very DARLING'N (2) v Wrexham (1) finite responsibility of keeping the dependent upon positional play, HARTLEP'S (7) v Barrow (0) and this, in turn, depends upon N. Brighton (8) v ROTHERHAM (1) Southport (0) CHESTER'D (0) Assuming that your team have STOCKPORT (4) v Rochdales (1) YORK (1) W Halifax (0)

good understanding, and that, as a natural consequence, positional ALDERSHOT (0) v Gillingham (2) play is efficient, each player will BRIGHTON (8) v Northampton (8) maintain contact with his team- BRISTOL R. (2) v Newport (0) v READING (0) The halves were all full of full backs and half-backs, and be LUTON (2) v Bristol C. (1) Southend (1) WATFORD (1)

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

should receive the pass. ABBRDEEN (-) v Albion (-) Thompson's Fine Distribution Ultimate success will then depend AIRDRIE (2) v Partick (1) · v DUNDEE (1) V ST. JSTONE (0 v Queen's Pk. (0) though his tackling and general goal shots must be higher than the M'WELL (2) v Hibernian (1) defensive work was good. Grind total of goals scored against them RANGERS (5) v Queen (0'S. (1)

> INTER-HONG SOCCER WIN FOR ELECTRIC

All teams mentioned first ar

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During the quick-change action of Santos, the electric's inside-left, a strenuous game, this might not opened the scoring for the Electric be very easy. But if you keep in after a scuffe round the Tramways'

been at his best lately, a good run the habit of anticipation. You will one-sided aspect, play centroing always be prepared for any emer- round the Tramway's goal. The gency and for every opportunity of fact that no further goal scored until after half-time war chiefly attributable to the prowess Ball control among the team as and speed of the Tramway custoa whole depends, as I have said, dian, Yeung Sou.

Souzae's Excellent Efforts

ing. But it also depends upon The next goal came from Souzae who made a brilliant run through from the centre line to send ? From the individual player's powerful drive into the net from point of view his part in the the edge of the penalty area. few minutes later he repeated his ficult or easy by his own degree achievement to add the third goal The fourth and fifth goals also followed in quick succession, the latter, from Souzae, being scored just as the flual whistle blew. The leams were:

the set and commenced the second should experience no difficulty in football, and they had well earned At all times, you must maintain Hong King Tramways Co. Yeang Hong Kong Tramways Co. - Young contact with the colleagues who are Sou; Chan Wah-sing and Chenng Yip-

# neghan, Morton Thompson, or Robson; Edmunds, Horner, Sandford, Higgins, Ridley and Baldry. Yesterday's game, played in

for the Spring Meeting of the Fanling Hunt and Race Club, to be held at Kwanti on Sunday, March 81. -2.30 p.m. The Shatin Handicap A Steeplechase of 1% Miles for China Ponica Weight 160 lbs. Ponies that have not started in a steeplechase this season allowed 3 lbs. Winners of steeplechase

hurdle race of 156 Miles for China weight 160 lbs. Winner A China Ponies. Winner A Cup: 2nd:— 2nd:—230: 3rd:—220. Entry 58.

\$30: 3rd:—\$20. Entry \$3. son; Mather, Horner, Bearley Howlett & The Hunters' Hurdle Race 14 Mesers. Thomson & Co. York Build-Miles for China Ponles, bons fide ing, pert Tuesday, at noon.

Hunters that have started ut \$80; 8rd; \$20. Entry \$8. - x 11. -The Ladies' Race:-A Handican hundle race of 1% Miles for China Ponies to be ridden by Ladies. Winner - A. Cup; 2nd: 480; 8rd: -420. Entry \$8. A Souvenir wil! be presented to the winning wrider. this season barred. Winner A 5 .- The Randwick Cup For Austrathe steeplechase course. ... Oatch-

# FOOTBALL FORM GUIDE

## Comprehensive Table Showing Form Of Club At A Glance

COMPREHENSIVE guide to the form of all the major Eng-A lish Football Clubs and the premier Scottish League will be found in the appended tables. To assist in comparing the teams, details of how they have fared in their last five matches are given. The letters W. L and D indicate matches won, lost, and drawn, respectively. Games played at home are shown in capital letters, while away games are denoted by ordinary type. The figures in brackets denote the position held by that team at the conclusion of last season. The asterisk indicates a promoted team and the dagger signifies a relegated team.

The following League positional tables give home and away details and include all matches played to date.

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lian Ponies not exceeding 14.8" West Ham United F.C. have Preston North End F. C. have Over a country course finishing on secured the transfer of F. Wall- secured John Friar, the 28-years-old banks the Bradford City left back. Port Vale outside right, and in exchange have transferred Edward who has been with the Yorkshire Critchley, their outside right, to elub for two and a half seasons and Port Vale, and paid at substantial previously assisted Bury.

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### RUBBER REPORT Depressed Market Due To Outside Influences

£25,000 added to Pension Fund.

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£177,394.11 1d. carried forward:

LOCAL DOLLAR

ADVANCES

Silver Prices Improve

The local dollar has advanced 1/4

opening on demand this morning at

Silver, both spot and forward

The London on New York cross-

also advanced 1/8, being quoted at

27, 5/16 and 27 7/16, respectively.

rate was quoted at £-U.S.\$4.74%,

as compared with £-U.S.\$4.74,

while the New York on London rate

was quoted at £-U.S.\$4.74%, at

New York Stock Exchange wil

CHARTERED BANK DIVIDEND

.The following telegram was re-

compared with 2-U.S.\$4.74.

be found on page 11.

IMPROVEMENT FORESEEN

In reviewing the rubber market for the past week it will be found that we have had a very depressed market and prices have sagged on lack of buying power report Messrs You may obtain a Safe Deposit H. B. Joseph and Co., local stock and

share brokers. your own use at a very moderate Ren-No change in the restriction quota for April-June was disappointing; but whether a 30 per cent. cut would have put the market up we are very doubtful. There have been and still are, too many outside influences of

an unsettling nature. The actual position of rubber is, however, good, and we look for real EXPRESS COMPANY, signs that restriction is beginning to have effect towards the end of this month. We do not look for any sudden improvement in prices but a gradual one to say 23 cents for Spot.

# RAW RUBBER PRICES

Latest Quotations From

Singapore: Messrs. H. B. Joseph and Company have received the following Straits currency quotations from

Singapore for Raw Rubber. Spot 20 1/8 Up 5/8. April-June 21 1/4 Up 5/8 July-June 22 5/8 Up 3/4 Market:-Firm.

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TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

LOCAL SHARES.

ommerce and

The following is the list of loca share quotations issued to-day:-

H.K. Bank \$1820 s. H.K. Bank (London) £180 n. Chartered Bank £151/4 n. Mercantile Bank A. & B. \$311/4 Mercantile Bank C. £181/2 n. Bank of East Asia \$851/2 n. Am: O. Finance Corp., Sh.\$20 China O. Fin. Ord., Sh. \$1.80 n. China O. Fin. Pref Sh. \$41/2 n. Insurances.

Canton Inc. \$260 n. Union Ins. \$415 n. China Underwriters \$11/2 n. China Fire Ins. \$490 n. H.K. Fire Ins. \$220 n. International Assec. Sh. \$5 n. Shipping.

Douglases \$391/2 n. H.K. Steamboats, \$71/4 n. Indo-Chinas (Pref.); \$80 n. Indo-Chinas (Def.). \$85 n. Shells (Bearer) \$47/6 n. Union Waterboats \$121/2 n.

Mining. Antamoks 83 cts. n. Balatoes \$43 n. Baguio Gold 89 cts. n. Benguet Consolidated \$14 n. Benguet Exploration 15 cts. n. Benguet Goldfield 10 cts. n. Big Wedge, 10 cts. n... Gold Creek 881/2 cts. n. Gold Rivers 18 cts. sa. Ipo Mining \$11/4 n. Itogans 42 cts. n. Salacots:16 cts. n. Kailan (Single) Sh. 16/6 n. Langkats (Single) Sh. \$15 n. S'hai Exploration Sh. \$5 n. S'hai Loans, Sh. \$6 n. Rauba \$51/2 b.

Venz; Goldfield \$5 m. Docks, etc. H.K. Wharves \$1011/2 n. Cum rts H.K. Dock \$9% n. Providents (old), \$1.20 h. Providents (new) 20 cts. n. Hongkews, Sh. \$309 n. New Engineering Sh. \$5 8. S'hai Docks, Sh. \$120 n.

Cotton Mills. Ewo Cottons Sh., \$8.70 s. S'hai Cotton (old) .\$74 n. S'hai Cottons (new) \$45 n. Zoong Sings Sh. \$9.80 n. Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$55 n H.K. Wharves rights \$20 n. H.K. Wharves ex. rights \$99 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc. H.K. and S. Hotels \$4.70 s., \$4.60 H.K. Land \$40 b. and sa.

H.K. Land 4% Debentures 102% n. Shanghai Lands Sh. \$22 n. Metropolitan Lands Sh. \$12.20 n. Humphreys \$91/2 n. H.K. Realties \$5.10.n. Asia Realtica "A", Sh. \$100 n. Asia Realties "B" Sh. \$15 n. Chinese Estates \$98 n. China Realties Sh. \$9.60 n. China Debentures Sh. \$128 n. Public Utilities

H.K. Tramways \$18 b. Peak Trams (old) \$81/2 n. Peak Trams (new), \$6 n. Star Ferries \$89 n. Yaumati Ferries \$22 n. C. Lighta \$10.05 b. . H.K. Electrics \$66 b., ex div. Macao Electrics \$25 n. Sandakan Light \$8 n. Telephone (old) \$28.80 b. Telephone (new) \$10 b. China Buses Sh. \$12.40 n. Singapore Traction 10/8 n. Singapore Pref. 20/6 n. Industrials

Malabon Sugar \$8% n. Cald: Macg. (Ord.), Sh. \$16 n. Cald: Macg., (Pref.), Sh. \$16 n. Canton Ices \$2% n. Cements converted \$7.60 n. H.K. Ropes \$3.65 n.

Stores, etc. Dairy Farms \$21% 8. Watsons \$81/2 n. Lane, Crawfords \$8.75 n. Mackintoehs, \$21 n. Sinceres \$8 n. Wm. Powells, 70 cts. D. Wing On (H.K.) \$105 n.

Miscellaneous H.K. Amusemente \$1.85 n. Entertainments, \$73/2 n. S.C. Enterprises \$1.85 n. Macao "Greyhounds," \$2 n. Constructions (old) \$1.70 n. Construction (new) 50 cts. n. Vibro Piling \$5% n. Ch. Govt 6% 1925 G\$Bds.

H.K. Govt, 11/2% Loan 2% prem. Wallace Harpers \$7 n.

## NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

### No Justification For Signs Of Stability

JULY COTTON OPTIONS OFFER POSSIBILITIES

In their market report. Mesers S. E. Levy and Company, correspondents for Messrs. White Weld and Company New York state:-

Banks. market showed signs of stability. Chicago Corn-May 794 mediate news to justify this, an in- Silver Official ...... 58% termediate rally could develop at this general level, almost at any time. Therefore, we would buy on 30 Industrials 96.66 98.02 any renewed weakness rather than 20 Rails .... 27.81 27.60 sell here. Business done:-1,080,- 20 Utilities . 15.08 14.88 000 shares.

"Grains: It is reported that dry weather continues in . the Southwheat is about spent, and the pur- Auburn

I. I. Case chase of new crop wheat is becoming Elec Bond & Share ..... The crop scare period is near at Int Tel & Tel ..... 281,000 bushels, Corn: 9,098,000 bushels.

"Cotton: We believe that the purchases of July option at around eleven cents should offer good possibilities trading profits, considering the small certificated stocks and the Government loan price based on been received by Reuter. Low Middling.

"Rubber: There were only limited New York Cotton:offerings of Actuals. Dealers were fair buyers of Futures. Total March ...... 11.00. sales:-660 lots.

"Sugar: The Actual market held July ......... 11.09 well on a small setback, while Fu- October ...... 10.76 tures are in a healthy condition. December ..... 10.78 We believe the statistical position January (1936) . 10.85 sales;-Old: 4,000 tons, New: 6,000 New York Rubber:-

leum production for the week ended July ......... 11.71 March 9 was estimated at 2,526,000 September 11.88 barrels. Weekly electricity produc- October ........ 11.94 tion totalled 1,724,000,000 k.w. hours, December ..... 12.09 an increase of 4.7 per cent., as com- Chicago Wheat:pared with last year."-Reuter. E. A. Pierce And Co.'s Report July ..... 88% In their market report, the September ..... 88%

American - Oriental Finance Cor- Chicago Com:poration, correspondents for May ..... 791/4 Mesars. E. A. Pierce and Company July ..... 751/8 of New York state:-"Stocks: The pressure of liquida- Winnipeg Wheat:tion has subsided, and that is about May ........ 83% all that can be said for 'to-day's July ....... 881/a

market. "Grains: Wheat and corn followed was a better tone in evidence. The New York Silk:basis of cash corn was one cent March ...... 1.28 higher, while country offerings and May ..... 1.271/2

arrivals were light. "Cotton There was a good demand Montreal Silver:during the latter half of the day, March ...... 59.00. including that from the Trade, May ..... 59.85. Europe and on short-covering. July ..... Selling has evidently run its course. September .... We think it is better to buy than to b-bid

"Rubber: The market was fairly HONG KONG REALTY AND TRUST active and steady. Dealers were good buyers, while Commission house selling has dried up. The early volume of trading has decreased. The outside markets were steady, while there was a good de mand for Spot.

"Sugar: The Futures market was somewhat easier. The Spot price has declined to three cents on the sale of prompt Cuban sugar, with buyers over that price. The price of Refined sugar remained unchanged."-Reuter.

Messra. E. A. Pierce & Company's report on the opening of the marketa: The opening of Wall Street to-day

was even and active, with the trend slightly higher.

On the cotton market Liverpool and the Continent were buying. Selling was limited to belated liquidation by longs. The tone of the market is steady on the advance. Flashes: Average daily petroleum production for the week ended March 9 was estimated at 2,528,000

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### Weekly electricity production otalled 1,724,000,000 k.w. hours, an

increase of 4.7 per cent. as compared with last year.

Ratest Quotations The following quotations have been received by Reuter. cross-rate .....

V.Y./London N.Y. Cotton-July "Stocks; After early selling the N.Y. Rubber-July ... 11.71 11.99 Chicago Wheat-May 934 98% Though there was little in the im- Montreal Silver-May 59.35 60.00 Dow Jones Averages To-day's

March 12 close Change 40 Bonds 94.99 94.62 11 Commodity Index ... 55.49 55.91 .42 up 10 Leading Stocks more attractive on further breaks. General Motors .......... 27% both days inclusive. hand. Total sales:-Wheat: 16,- Montgomery Ward ...... 22% Nat Distillers .......... 26 U.S. Steel Business Done:--1,080,000. shares.

### COMMODITY PRICES

The following quotations have New York, to-day,

"Flashes: Average daily petre- May .......... 11.57 12.13 May ..... 931/4

September .... 781/8 New York Sugar:-Old New Old New other markets. Easy conditions March ..... 2.06 2.05 2.02 2.02 prevailed early on, but later the May ....... 2.11 2.09 2.07 2.08 markets were firm on firm Liver- July ...... 2.15 2.15 2.12 2.18 pool advices and on reports of the September ..... 2.20 2.20 2.17 2.18 occurrence on dust storms. There December ..... 2.25 2.25 2.24 2.28

# COMPANY LTD.

The Profit for the year ended December 31, 1084, including \$32,563.65 brought forward from the previous year's account, amounted to \$72,810.92. At the forthcoming Ordinary Yearly Meeting of Shareholders, to be held at noon on Wednesday, April 17, the Directors, will recommend a paying a dividend of 25 cents per share. absorbing \$50,000.00, and carrying forward \$22,810.92 to next ac-

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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Ordinances of Hong Kong) NTOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of Shareholders of Hong Kong Realty and Trust Company, Limited, will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, Exchange Building (2nd Floor), Des

Vœux Road Central, Hong Kong, on WEDNESDAY, the 17th April, 1935, at 12 Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Board of Directors for the year ended on the 81st December, 1934, and re-electing two Directors and the Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the

Company will be CLOSED from THURSDAY, the 4th April, 1985, to WEDN SDAY, 17th April, 1985,

By Order of the Board, F. C. BARRY, Secretary.

Hong Kong, 18th March, 1935.

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Mar. 12. Mar. 18. TRING from the Battery as PAK SHA WAN will take place on SUNDAY, 17th March, 1935 from 10.00 A.M. to 11.15 A.M. in the direction of Junk Bay. All craft are advised to keep clear of Junk Bay during this period.

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The year just ended was the safest the Royal Air Force ever experienced. In spite of further increases in strength and in the amount of flying done, the number figure for the past eight years, and less than one third the figure for 1926, when the toll reached a peak with 85 lives lost in 54 fatal

In 1934 there were 19 fatal accidents involving the deaths of 28 members of the R. A. F. . In one accident a civilian pilot was also killed. In addition, there was one accident at a civil flying school involving the deaths of three officers of the R. A. F. Reserve.

### Saved By Parachutes

Twenty members of the R. A. F. saved their lives by using their parachutes.

In 1933 there were 38 fatal accidents and 53 deaths. The 'Air scheduled air transport lines like the Ministry does not publish the fly- United States, its planes are carrying hours of the service, but I understand that in 1934 there was only one death in every 12,000 any other airway in the western flying hours, whereas in 1921 there hemisphere and nearly twice was one death in every 2,238 fly- much freight and express poundage .ing .hoùrs.

For nine years the R. A. F. fatal accidents figures were:--

	•	l sand	THATE	
		Sqdns.	acdts.	Deaths
1926		61	54	85
1927		63	40	57
1928		69	50	. 76
1929		73	31	. 42
1930			45	65
1981	•	" 85	45	75
1932	-	- 88	32	48
1933		90	38	53
1934		93	19	28

### improved Engines

trustworthiness in the aeroplanes Regions in northern Canada which and engines. Engine failure is a formerly awaited the semiannual and breakage of any part of the monthly by aeroplane. air-frame structure is almost unknown with British machines.

Flying discipline has also been improved, and there is less unauthorised low flying and aerobatics. Ultra close formation flying has in the past been responsible for a number of accidents. and there is usually an outbreak of this kind of casualty just before the R.A.F. annual display. when practice in air drill is conducted. There has been less em- struction of a new aerodrome at phasis upon this ultra-close forma- Yenchi and construction work is tion work in 1934.

### PALTRY INCREASE IN WAR PLANES

Neglect Of British Air Security

COMPARISON WITH SOVIET ARMAMENT

Britain has increased its home first-line air strength in the last 12 months by only 28 machines. This tragic and staggering re-

cord of official neglect of the nation's air security was revealed to the House of Commons by Sir Philip Sassoon, Under-Secretary for Air.

On January 1, 1934, he said, there were 425 first-line aircraft stationed in Britain, and on January 1 this year there were 458: This figure was exclusive of aircraft of the Fleet air arm in home waters, numbering 108. There were available 127 aircraft of the gular squadrons.



Type of regular passenger and mail plane used on Imperial Airwa services to the Continent and on the African and Australian routes. These was less than half the average are being gradually augmented with machines of a larger and more luxurious ype, with the comforts and conveniences of the most up-to-date railway

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ing conducted by the Army and

Air Force authorities into

timate the scope of this type

Army co-operation work and the

machine for certain kinds

scope for aerial fighting.

manoeuvres; while the

Fighter Or Observer

(Continued on Page 10)

AIR SICKNESS CAN

BE UNPLEASANT

Varying Complexions

Of Passengers -

The investigation which is be-

### INTRODUCTION CANADIAN AIRWAYS LEAD IN WEST

Ahead Of U.S. In Express And Freight

SERVICES IN FAR NORTH

Though Canada has no regularly ing more express and freight than as has been carried by United States foreign and domestic lines. in 1938 American domestic and foreign air lines carried express to the which seeks to estimate" total of nearly 2,500,000 pounds.

Canadian airways, according to Government figures, carried 4,206,-000 pounds that year. This year to: 1,573,000 pounds carried by American air lines for the same

This tremendous bulk of freight types of machine and may lead to provement are probably to be the northern areas of Canada far an experimental military autogiro of operating." found mainly in the improved beyond the rail ends and river traffic. novel design. rarity in service machines to-day, dog team or boat now are served

### YENCHI AERODROME PROJECTED

Military Significance Of Position

Plans are on foot for the conscheduled to be started early in May, according to a message received here from Changchun to-

Yenchi is an important city in CONTROLLED BY THE PILOT eastern Kirin, near the Russian border. It is believed that the

### URGENTLY-CONSIGNED GOOD BY AIR-MAIL

In addition to night passenger no means smiling, off from Croydon during the hours ties of the seroplane and, above all, delayed by waiting for any partiof darkness for destinations far perhaps, of the way they are flown cular day in the week. Letters distance between Zurich and Lonacross the continent, carrying mails and at what height. Several com- passing by air between England, don in three hours will be opened on and urgently-consigned goods. panies make a very great point of Egypt, and India, and between April 1 jointly by a Swiss company This means that letters and parcels the way the pilots fly in bad wea. London and destinations along the and Imperial Airways. The planes posted in London after business ther, and explanations are required Africa route to Johannesburg, can destined to carry passengers along the future, that the Government cerned have been completed. houses close, are delivered early of pilots whose passengers suffer. now be dealt with in a regular flow, the new line will be flying hotels next morning at cities hundreds of It is considered better to have a late justian is inland correspondence be- fitted with automatic steering demiles across Europe.

### FRANCE TO ORGANISE BIG AIR RACE

### AIR MAIL GROWTH **UPLICATION** OF SERVICE ON

Traffic Increase To India And Africa

MAIN ROUTES

ACCELERATION OF BUSINESS CORRESPONDENCE

A fresh example of the way in which the air-mail is now rendering out-of-date many of the old methods of business correspondence is to be found in the recent duplication of the Empire services by Im-

It was the old routine of control" autogiro tall first. weekly sailings with sea-borne mails which led to a time-honcustom, growing. degrees to an ingrained habit, of setting aside one day a week for preparing and dispatching letters for overseas.

But now such a "one mail a week" habit, if persisted in with CONSIDERED dispatches for India and Africa, fails to profit by the improved air facilities available, and places those who still adhere to it at a disadvantage in comparison with rivals who are more progressive.

The position, as it exists at the present time, was explained by an official of Imperial Airways.

"At the beginning of this year'

### Duplicated Services

the he said, "traffic progress enabled us military value of the autogiro or to duplicate our weekly services in each direction between London and rotating wing aircraft, is in two Calcutta and London and Johannesparts-that which seeks to esburg. This means that in addition of to the previous dispatch each Saturof day to India, there is an additional dispatch from London every Tuesday, while on the Africa route, in its addition to the previous Wednesday dispatch, there is now another de-The major tests in the Army co-parture each Sunday. But though traffic by these new duplicated seroperation work will be made during vices is already heavy-in respect to Canada's largest air operator car- the next training season, in the passengers, it is clear from a study ried 2,539,000 pounds for the first summer of this year, when R.A.F. of the mail figures that there six months of this year as compared squadrons will take part in special still a psychological difficulty to be fighting overcome, and that the old habit of having only one mail-day a week tests will be begun with existing for overseas correspondence is pre- disclosed in the House of Peers re- miles an hour. venting full advantage being taken cently by Mr. T. Tokonami, Minis-The causes of this marked im is moved by the air lines which serve the ordering by the Air Ministry of of the duplicated services now

> "It is clear, for example, that far too large a proportion of letters It is not permissible to give de-dispatch to India, which has come tails of the kind of machine visual- to be recognised as 'air-mail day,' ised by Air Force officers as a and far too small a proportion by rotating wing fighter; but it may the new Tuesday dispatch.

> be mentioned that Senor de In "It is the same on the Africa Cierva, the inventor of the autogiro, route, the bulk of letters still conworked out many years ago a design tinuing by the Wednesday mail, and for an autogiro with a maximum too few by the duplicated service leaving on Sunday.

### All Air-Mail Days

"What is now wanted is some slogan to the effect that every day will be inauguarated next January, to phasises this confidence. is an air-mail day. In this con-Singapore. nection it may be remembered that the Under-Secretary of State for Air, when discussing further in Beas via the Hachijyojima and Ogasacreases of frequency just recently, wara islands. foreshadowed four or five air services a week on such a route as that to India. As it is, since the Kyushu districts. duplication of the Empire services, Mr. Tokonami's statement was the officials at the London air-ports made in reply to a question put by It is very instructive to watch have to deal with either an incom- Baron Ryoltsu Asada. new aerodrome when completed the arrival of two or three machines ing or outgoing Empire service will be of considerable military at Croydon at about the same time every day of the week while on significance.—(Chekiai Agency). on a gusty day, says a writer in Sundays two Empire services are "Flight." Certain seroplanes deli- now scheduled at Croydon-one FLYING HOTELS ON ver up their passengers pink and outward to Africa and one inward smiling, and all say they have enjoy- along the same route.

ed the trip. Other machines dis- "It can be seen, therefore, that gorge travellers not so pink and by the time has already arrived when there is no need for Empire corresplanes, powerful air-freighters fly It is a matter of the flying quali- pondence to accumulate, or to be a head wind than to make a swift cial centres. passage flying low. (Continued on Page 10)

first-line establishment of non-re- France intends to organise a big Each night at London's air-port, saloons lit cosily by shaded lights, international air race on the lines when darkness begins to fall, the vanish into the darkness en route A moment later Sir Philip adof the England-Australia race. Traffic Controller in his tower for Parls, its occupants dining in mitted that there had undoubtedly This was announced by General been a substantial increase in Denain, French Air Minister, who moves over certain switches, and the coated stewards—just as they would would concede to Germany a number magnificent advertisament for Hol- taken of the fact; that certain rethe first-line strength of Soviet says that it is necessary for France serodrome is illuminated, for might in any hotel or restaurant on the of sites destined to serve as bases land and America, but proved that presentatives of the Air Ministry. military warplanes, compared with to face couragedusly the lesson flying ground, And a similar night ser- for the Reich air force in war times passengers and mail could be and the Post Office were about to the number of between 1,800 and of her technical insufficiency and Then you see one of the great air- vice brings passengers by air from have been categorically denied by systematically carried to Australia make an inspection of the routes.

appearance at Hanworth, Middlesex. The machine has a top speed equivalent to that of a similarly powered seroplane, but the pilot has perfect control at the lowest speeds. Benor de la Clerva is seen landing the "direct

## THE AUTOGIRO ADVANCE

LAWRENCE OF ARABIA QUITS

Col. T. E. Lawrence, the officercelebrated for his activities in Arabia at the end of the World War, left the Royal Air Force in which he enlisted as Aircraftuman Shaw, early this month. He subsequently left Ridlington, Yorkshire, on a bicycle for an unknown destination .- Hava.

MANY EXTENSIONS

continue to be sent by our Saturday link Japan with Singapore, Kem-

The plans provide or the follow-

2.-Hokkaide, in north Japan,

tween Fukuoka and Formosa, which ful group to cover aviation risks em-4.—Osaka to north Korea, via

Imperial Airways are covered at the - 5 Tokyo to Palau in the South same rates as surface transport. to look over their personal insurance 6.A number of local lines around policies before flying as passengers Osaka and Tokyo. 7.—Local lines in the Chugoku and in case there was a prohibitive

"safe as houses."

# NEW ROUTE

A new air service covering the arrival due to flying high against tween London and the big Provin- vices. The line will be a double to Sydney. one, one of the routes passing via Lille and Basic and the other via Paris and Basie.

### NO IRISH AIR BASES FOR GERMANY

1,500 which he gave a year ago. Hack of preparation, the Irish Legation here. Havas | within three days. | Within

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## STARTLING NOVEL TYPE

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Model

PROPELLERLESS MACHINE

OF 200 M.P.H.

new type of aeroplane --

speedy cousin of the autogiro -

based on conservative tests

no propeller. It will tilt its present

Insurance Companies

As Barometer

NO BETTER PROOF OF

CONFIDENCE

news that 14 British insurance

Already passengers flying with

But in other cases men have had

Those days are now ending.

Travel in British air liners is as

SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA'S

AIR TERMINAL

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LONDON TO AUSTRALIA

WITHIN THREE DAYS

New York.

was predicted by Mr. W. Lau-

The early arrival of a wholly

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ROYAL AIR FORCE

Leaves For Unknown Destination

### AMBITIOUS TOKYO AIR PLANS

Y. 200,000,000 TO BE SPENT ON CIVIL FACILITIES

facilities within the next few years nearly vertically.

ter of Communications.

The most important air route ex- SAFER AIR TRAVEL tensions planned by the Ministry would, according to Mr. Tokonami, chatks, Saghalien and the Palau Islands in the South Seas, held by apan under mandate from the League of Nations.

in north Japan. Kamchatka.

3-The extension of the line be- companies are forming a new power-

Zurich-London Line Opens Next Month

## TRACING BUMPS

### TRACK GANG OF EXPERTS IN OPERATION

Meteorology's Help To Fliers

ROUTES TO BE AVOIDED

"Meteorologiste ane the track gang' of the air. Dr. Ford A. Carpenter, chief meteorologist of the weather bureau of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, declared on his recent trip east on a lecturing tour. 'Like a track gang on the railroad which spots out the inequalities of the roadbed so that trains may run smoothly, so it is meteorologist's job, once a flight has begun, to keep the 'roadbed' of the air smooth."

Mr. Carpenter has been flying for nearly, 20 years and has been "ballooning" since 1921. In fact he holds No. 1 balloonists' license. He was for a number of years meteorologist at the University of California and then went to his present berth at Los Angeles. In this capacity he has also been consulting meteorologist to TWA, Inc., and American Airlines, transconinental lines out of Los Angeles.

### Bad Piece Of Route"

rence Lepage of Philadelphia at At one point on its transcontinthe annual meeting of the Institu-ental route, Mr. Carpenter, said, tion of Aeronautical Sciences in American Airlines pilots were flying over a stretch of airway which His predictions, he explained, are had a peculiar bumpiness which in pilots were unable to account for several wind tunnels and laboraa. a which annoyed passengers to the extent of the airline losing. This new fast autogiro will have business. Mr. Carpenter was callwindmill, gear it to the engine and ed in. After riding with the pi-An ambitious scheme for the ex- so get its lift and forward drive. lots for a number of months Mr. pansion of the existing civil air It is expected to ascend and descend Carpenter discovered ) that the "bumps" were due to the peculiar" at the cost of Y.200,000,000 was Its indicated speed is around 200 relation of the winds which flowed. across the range of hills that caused the unsettled condition of the air which had troubled the air. line. Forthwith pilots of the air company, were advised to depart from their compass courses at this point and the airline experlenced no further trouble.

Mr. Carpenter claims to have the highest readings ever taken by meteorological balloons. In his office is a barograph recovered No barometer can tell of the from a free balloon which reached 1.—Tokyo to Saghalien via Sappore growing confidence in air travel so 108,000 feet, or nearly 20 miles much as its insurance rates. The above the earth!

### HIGH-SPEED EMPIRE PLANES

Negotiation Between Governments

IMPERIAL AIRWAYS PLAN

Sir Philip Sassoon, was recently asked in the House of Commons. what steps had been taken towards the construction of new types of high-speed civil aircraft for use on Empire routes under the Government's revised policy.

Sir Philip Sassoon: As I in-City of Sydney should not directly Christmas, details of the type of new air mail link between Aus- aircraft to be employed in connection with the new scheme for fore gratifying, both from the the further development of Empire air mail communications cannet befinally settled until negotiations with the other Governments con-

"I am, however, imformed that sions of the service from Brisbane the Board of Imperial Airways have under consideration the order of certain prototype aircraft which will be capable of use under the new scheme.

In a further statement on the developmen of Empire sir services, Sir Philip said that to The giant Douglas airliner a facilitate the negotiations which standard American-built machine were still proceeding, it had been

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## The China Mail

Hong Kong, Thursday, Mar. 14, 1935

### Steady National Recovery

The Board of Trade return for January have served as tonic. They speak of progress in recapturing little by little foreign and colonial markets. the whole table of British manu factured exports there is no one item that does not show crease, and it is in the trades that are most important, that had been most hardly that the chief gains are record-The total increase in exportmanufactures is £3,316,000

January, 1934, and £5,352,000 over January, 1933. Comparing these figures with the export trade of other countries. Mr. Chamberlain might well des-Ficribe them as remarkable. He sees no reason why there should not be a considerable reduction lin unemployment in the coming months, and the export figures bear out his contention that the most any Government can do to create employment directly by Directors, Secretarial staff, and nublic works is trifling compared friends will honour, Mr. J. with the effect of even a small McPherson, M.B.E. with a farewell

Ilmprovement in ordinary trade. confirm the view that the dis- appreciation of his long years quieting rise in the unemploy- untiring and constructive service ment figures was purely season- the Y.M.C.A. Mr. McPherson which may be expected to re- Friday on retirement, after 30 years cover quickly. The recent im- of service. provement in these figures seemed to give some solid background to that weakening in confidence that had its origin in the speculative troubles in Mincing-lane and Inception to the indispensable posiwas fed by unfounded stories of tion it occupies to day as regards a political crisis. Mr. Baldwin's the young people of the community. denial of any thought of a Gen eral Election did not come unti rumour had worked on the nerves of timid foreign holders of Bri-Secretaryship in place of the their holdings upon a market that Through his personality and months, and in which there had ministrative ability he gathered been a good deal of buying with about him a group of loyal supporborrowed money. Comparatively ters and friends of the Association, small sales in the early days had show the same of the control of the amount of stock offered. Recently there where the On Lok stock offered. Recently there was some control of the same of the control of the control of the same of the control of that there is no warrant for a be- has a membership of 2,486 and is lief that a halt had been reach-furnishing them with many of the ed in the country's rising pros pleasantnesses of home life.

quer, and, in spite of increased was opened on Waterloo Road expenditure, there is a prospect 1984 an extension was added as the of a realised surplus. In the big facilities were found to be becoming the larewest reservastores and many industrial enter- Inaloquete. Prises are announcing greater. The alm of the Chinese Y.M.C.A. Prolits; the fullways are distri-under the leadership of Mr. McPher-

buting more to their sharehold- general, will deliver the Speech from ers; the national trade returns the Throne, His term of office ends are better in practically every de- in the autumn. partment. An increase in the number of agreements with for- a successor to him. eign, countries promises further growth in trade. Money is cheap beyond all previous experience, giving encouragement to An old Yorkshireman, found wanders fresh enterprise. So far as can ing in an American town, said he had be judged there is ahead a long no idea how he got there. Wealthy period of steady national progress. The temporary scare may up inhabitants with them. have served a good purpose in demonstrating that irresponsible politics so long as the country silver wedding next week." believes that prosperity is bound] up with the continued strength

### CHINESE Y.M.C.A. GRATITUDE

out the path to recovery.

Farewell Dinner To Mr. J. L. McPherson

RECOGNITION OF 30 YEARS DEVOTED SERVICES

The Chinese Y.M.C.A. Board o dinner at the Kam Loong Restaurant The January export returns of Tuesday next, in recognition and al, and confined to home trade, leaving the Colony on the following

Devoted Work Mr. McPherson's name and personality are definitely linked the growth of the Y.M.C.A. since its He arrived in the Colony as a comparatively young man at the beginning of the century to take up the W. J. Southam, who was "leaving. Kowloon Branch

ence serves to disprove any such Association in growing Kowloon was using of their less conclusion. Revenue is coming felt, and in 1929 the Kowloon them to become so in apace to the hational exche- Branch of the Chinese Y.M.C.A. the community.

HERE, THERE

VANISHING NEWSPAPERS

With the passing of Der Deutsche" at the end of February, nine Berlin newspapers will have disappeared in two years of Nazi

Stegerwald, Minister of Labour. laughing in the sunshine, happy in embroiled in wars. It paid its way,

it was made the organ of the La- the guileless peasantry under their pealed for deliverance. They bebour Front, the Nazi organization heel. which inherited the funds of the But ten minutes with any history wanted to be freed from the shame-Dr. Ley,

It lost money. "Deutsche Zeitung." Since Nazi regime it has been the personal organ of Herr Walter Darre, Minister of Agriculture.

the approaching eclipse of Dr. Ley and Herr Darre.

### CANADIAN CHANGES.

Another "New Deal", outlined by Mr. Bennett, Prime Minister Canada, comes at an opportune time for the Canadian Government.

The session which opened last month is the last of the present Canadian House of Commons, which was elected in 1930 for five years. . It is also the last session at which Lord Bessborough, the Governor

No plans have yet been made for

## Your Daily Smile!

period of steady national pro- ages should be careful not to gather ning to the nearest English settle-

political rumour is attended with dangers beyond the range of "That's nothing. I celebrate my

of the Government that mapped He: "You know, you're not looking sort of a girl.' She: "Oh, you'd say so even if you didn't think so." He: "Well, we're square, then. You' think so even if I didn't say so."

> Tactless "Haven't I seen

Tailor: "Maybe, your honour, many men owe me money now can't remember their faces."

### LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

The Quarry Bay School's Spring Festival will be held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, April 9.

Kong Jockey Club.

At the Central Magistracy this morning, Chan Lin-sing, a banishee, was committed by Mr. W. Schofield Clive's junior and served in India to stand his trial at the next under him. He had to consolidate Criminal Sessions at the Supreme the three provinces Clive had ac-Court for returning to the Colony quired, and found the existing from bandishment.

Pleading guilty to a charge stealing a quantity of copper wire from a contractor's shed at South China Spun-crete Company Hong Hom, Chan Tin pun, year-old watchman, was fined \$25 default one month's "imprisonmen by Mr. A. W. G. H. Grantham at th Kowloon Magistracy this morning

was a recovery of confidence, ship of a few hundred to the prethe country, the Manchoukuo to go to her aid. Though seriously to the levels from which they which is daily serving hundreds of planning to her aid. Though serving hundreds of planning to her aid. had fallen. Reflection had shown students. The Association to-day planning to establish provisional he sent troops from Bengal on foot ceived by the Police, four young courts at important cities to try through hundreds of miles of unex- Chinese, including three stud-

son, has always been, in its policy and work, to serve the students and matter what they did to the British, the Central Magistracy on a Practically all available evid. As time passed, the need for a young people, to aid them in the ence serves to disprove any such Association in growing Kowloon was using of their leisure and to below the conclusion. Revenue is coming felt, and in 1929 the Kowloon them to become sturdy citizens of Wellesley comes next. He was The defendants were Tam the farewell reception to Mr. Mc Wellington, who was in India with Sze-hil Mok Tak-young and Lam

Chinese Y.M.C.A., Bridges Street, before Tuesday.

### MAKERS AMAZING EXPLOITS ROBERT CLIVE

HOW BRITONS MADE ORDER OUT OF CHAOS

(By R. J. Minney)

a Paradise into which the British To Wellesley the Indians in the

years, with scarcely any breath- indescribable evil of the native ing space, the unhappy peoples of tyrants.

### antagonistic. Order Out Of Chaos

When the British landed traders, they met with opposition not from Indians but from other European traders.

It became obvious that out of the chaos of warring claimants for Indian thrones, of dissolute princelings covetous and false to their promises, of brigands roving the countryside unchecked, some sort order had to be evolved.

The men who made India were afraid to decide and to act. highest.

He was no more than, a shabby, poorly paid clerk when the French ment and offered to lead a rabble hold of Southern India, no less!

The Daring Of Chive

He marched his little army night through a blinding rainstorm. The scoundrelly Governor of bad- The Indians, accestomed to calling a Multan, who had defaulted in his truce when it rained, left the fort accounts, caused two British officers men, but devils, who were coming rewarded the murderers. Dalhousie against them.

123 British people in the Black Hole all in India, and, with the Gurkhas, of Calcutta.

With the lives of his own wife and child at stake. Clive did

## A Worthy Follower

Warren Hastings was seven years! machinery of government appallingliy corrupt. Indians in high places filled their own pockets with the revenues, lied and intrigued. Warren Hastings did not shrink from acting against the most exalted. Members and champloned the corrupt. But who have made India. despite all the humiliations Hastings went resolutely on. The peoples of

foreigners facing charges. plored India. The Indians were impressed and were glad to make were prosecuted this morning peace. They realised that no before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at

East, but thanks to Nelson, never ed to be confiscated

"Der Deutsche" was at one time COME people may be apt in these got father than the Nile. Through the mouthpiece of the Christian hax times to think of India as agents, however, he raised enough trade unions. Its editor was Herr a country with millions of natives trouble in India to keep Wellesley

When the Nazis came into power burst with sword and pistol to crush territories beyond our frontiers apheld the benefits of British rule and old trade unions. Its editor was book will show you that for 4,000 ful misgovernment, the chaos, and

Anoter Berlin newspaper which India were pounced upon, slaughter. He found himself at the start conwas recently disappeared is the ed, and ravaged by every swaggering fronted by three formidablethe adventurer who cared to come enemies, likely at any moment tothrough the mountain passes of combine against him. He decided Afghanistan-Mongols, Persians, quickly and acted. Despite the Inister of Agriculture.

Greeks, Huns, Arabs—until India dangers, he set out against the The disappearance of these two was no longer a country but a Nizam of the Deccan, who had a papers is believed to be a hint of patchwork quilt of racial remnants, vast army under French command. an ethnological museum of types as By a clever stroke of diplomacy and. varied as they are mutually an impressive military demonstration, to the astonishment of all, her had the Nizam's entire army disarmed and disbanded. This, bold move saved the situation. Wellington proceeded instantly against Tipoo Sultan and disposed of him in.

### two months. Mahratta Menace

Another Hastings-the Marquess of Hastings-dealt with the third of Wellesley's enemies—the Mahrattas, lawless hordes of armed horsemen, numbering many hundred thousand, who had for centuries spread terror men of initiative and daring, not through India. It was a fierce-Of struggle. Again and again our them all. Clive's name must stand soldiers were hemmed in-at Kirkee. Sitabaldi, Koregaon-but the Mahratta menace was finally stamped out and Britain became the and live side by side in harmony.

And so we come to Dalhousie, band of soldiery, a mere handful, to youngest (he was only 85) and in the capture of Arcot, capital strong- many ways most important of all. He governed India from a sick bed, but he governed India well.

### The Sikh War

and fled in alarm. These were not to be hacked to death, and liberally did not wait for committees of in-At Plassey, to cross the river quiry to advise and issue their remeant almost certain annihilation. ports in massive blue books. He With the British army destroyed acted at once. He said: "The Sikh: So the entire white population would be nation has called for war, and on my that at the mercy of the Indians, at word, sirs, they shall have it with a whose head was the evil Suraj-ud- ver eance." They did. But Sikh Dowlah, who had but lately caused loyalty has been such that ever since the ghastly death by suffocation of they have remained the truest of

the finest fighters in our Army. They came to your aid during the not Mutiny, which was stirred up chiefly hesitate to cross the river and defy by Nana Sahib, a descendant of the the Indian hordes 60,000 infantry, dispossessed Mahrattas. In that The annual meeting of the Hong 20,000 cavalry and heavy artillery grave moment in our history) we Kong Society of St. George will be with at his command a mere 800, still had men capable of meeting a held on Monday, March 25, at 5.15 plus a handful of half-castes and situation of appalling danger. Sir p.m., in the board room of the Hong natives, amounting all in all to no Henry Lawrence was there, with his more than 8,000. He dared—and coolness, courage, and determination, to save India.

### Then - Whitehall

But with the invention of the telegraph there began the era of Whitehall, meddlesomeness. The men on the spot were shorn of their initiative and became the victims of busybodies far different in temper and outlook from the great figures who built up the glorious British record in India.

Happily, down to our own times, there have been such names cas of his own Council, from motives of Curzon and Dyer to be placed jealousy, thwarted and badgered him worthily beside those of the men-

### herald com algorithment STREET FOOTBALL

# Four Young Chinese

Due to recent complaints rethe elder brother of the Duke of Kong-keung, unemployed, Fong him. During those years Napoleon Kin-cheung, three students. Lions, at \$1.00 per person, at the was so intention the conquest of A fine of \$5 was imposed on India that he actually set out for the each, and the football was order-

### **BUSINESS TAX** COLLECTION ON AMERICAN FILMS

Distributors Refuse **Payment** 

CINEMA PROPRIETORS DARE NOT USE BOYCOTT

[From Our Own Correspondent]

Canton, To-day.

While urging the American distributors of talking pictures to assume a part of the business tax, cinema proprietors decided yesterday not to boycott American films. The reason being that if they do not show American pictures there is no other substitute.

In a statement to the press, the Motion Picture Theatres Guild stated that they asked the distributors to bear one half of the DATRY vincial Department of Finance. The distributors have contracted PROFITS DOWN with local picture palaces generally for 40 per cent, of the receipts each production. Before paying their share to the distributors, the theatres want to deduct the business tax from the total takings.

The American film companies refuse to bear this tax and insist on net box office returns. The theatres maintain that the film producers should, in fairness, pay their share of the business tax which is 0.65 per cent, of the ne ·income.

The Canton Municipal Government has been requested to take up the matter with the American consular authorities in Shamee with a view to settling this matter. The point at issue involves the financial position of the Provincial Government, and the Guild expects that the Government wi espouse its cause. .

American films are very popular here. Chinese talkies in Cantonese dialogue are also in good demand, but those in mandarin have a very limited appeal owing local ignorance of the language.

### REVENUE EXCEEDS EXPENDITURE

### Finance Returns For Kwangtung

Canton, To-day. According to the report of the Finance Department the national and provincial revenue and expenditures during December 192 were as follows:

National Revenue \$7,347,286.13. Provincial Revenue \$7,107,631.25 Provincial Expenditure \$7,022,-862.18.—Central Press.

### OBSERVATORY IN CANTON

### Formally Opened By Mayor Yesterday

Canton, to-day. Municipal Observatory Shekpal, which has been completed, was formally opened at noon yesterday. Mayor Liu Chi-wen offi clated at the ceremony.

There were more than 1,000 vi tors, among whom were directors various Municipal bureaux and representatives of government organs .-Central Press.

### TREATY IS FLOUTED

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This was accepted by Germany as the basis of discussion. Moreover period under review and savings countries. the proposed air convention would have been effected in various direction.

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Jimmy Ramsey (left), and Billy Tse who competed in the tap dance contest in conjunction with the Shirley Temple film "Bright Eyes." The name of the lucky winner will be announced at the 2.30 performance at the King's Theatre on Saturday, ....

## business tax levied by the Pro-

## OWING TO COOL AND WET SUMMER

Substantial Reduction In Sale Of Summer Commodities

### SATISFACTORY YEAR IN SPITE OF DEPRESSION

inasmuch that they substantially intact. reduced the sale of such summer commodities as ice, ice-cream and Chairman, at the Annual Meeting of the Company this after-

"These circumstances, therefore, the Chairman continued, "necessitated the strictest economy being introduced." The Chairman was supported by Messrs. S. H. Dodwell, A. B. Stewart; W. G. Goggin, J Owen Hughes, A. Stevenson (Manager); and J. D. Thomson (Secre-

The following Shareholders were Danby, G. Milne, H. G. M. Figueirado, Kwok Hin Wang, G. A. Harriman, J. H. R. Hance, H. C. Watson, A. D. Wyllie, Chan Pai Pan, S. H. Ross, and E. W. Gardiner.

### CHAIRMAN'S SPEECH

The Chairman, Mr. T. E. Pearce, same to \$279,545.98. addressing the Meeting, said:-"Before proceeding with the business of the meeting; I wish to ment relative to the accounts National Expenditure \$7,111,361.18. make reference to the lamented Board in 1924. His presence on per cent. voted them last year.

> is. \$126,988.48 less than was shown following manner:-last year, a reduction of approx- "To pay a Dividend of \$1.50 imately 15 per cent. Although the existing economic conditions are reflected to a considerable 'extent in the accounts before you to-day there is another factor to which I feel reference is necessary. I refer to the exceptionally cool and meet with your approval. wet weather conditions which prevailed almost continuously through the whole of last summer. Our sales of summer commodities, in particular Ice, Ice Cream, and

"Despite the fact that the weather conditions last summer adversely affected the profits for the FLAGRANT CONTRADICTION tive have not lost sight of the fact The admission is also a flagrant tive have not lost sight of the fact contradiction of the Anglo-French that difficult times and more communique of February 8, stating petitive conditions have to be that neither Germany nor any other faced. The necessity, therefore, of the Department of Overseas house in Portland Street where that neither Germany nor any other faced. The necessity, therefore, of the Department of Overseas he killed it, after having tied its Power, whose armaments were fixed of practising economy is fully re- Trade, said he was aware that Bri ne kined it, after naving t Power, whose armaments were fixed of practising economy is runny reby the Peace Treaty, has the right cognized and with this end in
to modify its obligations unilateralwith whom the trade agreements about \$50, had strayed from its
ments has been subjected to the
had been concluded considerably exmaster's house a few days ago. closest investigation during the ceeded British exports to those

Milk, were affected to a very ser-

ious degree.

matter will be dealt with in future us-us!" He jerked the whistle on a more accurate and scientific lanyard in a fit of spleen, but the

side of the Balance Sheet you will headlights, without penetrating. note a transfer from Premium on "They've got no manners, them Shares account to Cattle account of lardy-dary big-ship men," he com-\$278,224.02. The object of this plained. "Think they're lords of all transfer is to bring the book value creation, sink 'em! Who'd sell. of the Herd into line with present farm an' go to sea, anywaysday replacement costs. In recent 'specially at Christmas time?" years heavy purchases of Cattle had to be made when first costs and "The exceptionally cool and freight rates were high and ex- Watkins sympathetically, and sible for the large decrease in a suitable Reserve was available to spell in trawlers-teach 'em manthe profits of the Dairy Farm, cover this writing down, leaving the ners." ice and Cold Storage Co., Ltd. ordinary Cattle Reserve Account "That's why-for I made my boy

stands in the Books at practically purple-faced skipper. milk," said Mr. T. E. Pearce, the same figure as Cattle Reserve "Ar!" said .: Watkins, never leave things clear for these rumfrom Dairy Farming. Further to trade could show. in attendance: Mrs. Yung Yeung a balance of \$10,328.89 remains at -Shi; Messrs. W. S. Bailey, J. D. credit of the account forming the

nucleus of a reserve for the future. "Turning to the liabilities side of the Balance Sheet you will see that the balance of Premium on shares account amounting to \$104,545.98 has been transferred to General Reserve account thus bringing the

### Bonus to Staff

"I do not think that further com-

for the year ended December 81 amounts to \$498,200.10. It is pro- Prince Edward Road. of light from portholes made haloes last, amounts to \$680,648,93 which posed to deal with this sum in the Inspector Portallion, of the in the fog. Forsyth held on to the

> 'Add to General Reserve ... "Transfer to Staff Superannustion Fund "I trust these appropriations

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### TRADE AGREEMENT RESULTS

### Imports Exceed Exports In Britain

opening of the Simon negotiations, You will observe that the amount developing very satisfactorily in For aghting in Canton Road, Chan

To-day's Short Story

# STERN CHASE

By Capt. F. H. Shaw

IN the Channel that wintry smash him down to mangled wrecknight the fog was growing age. thicker than ever, thick enough, "Hard a port, Tom!" he mutterit seemed, to blanket the wailing cd, and the wheel whirred. The sirens and destroy all sense of Sure Hope was plucked miraculously distance. Skipper Lorton, snug-from the jaws of destruction; and ged in the wheelhouse of the again the scathing criticisms of the trawler Sure Hope, cursed the mighty came down from the density fog, cursed the sea, and most above as the liner ramped past. bitterly of all did he curse a tow- Her scuttles shed a muffled glow ering liner that ramped past his through the fog, and music was wallowing little ship so closely audible—mocking music, it seemed that her fish-pens for-ard were to the skipper. flooded with the giant's exhaust "Hark to 'em!" he snorted.

"Blistered murderers!" he called A fat lot they care for such small into the thickness through funnelled fry as us, as they can carve into hands, A thin, derisive voice from chunks 'thout scratchin' their paint, high above asked him why his fog- a'most!" horn was not sounding, and the skipper swallowed wrathfully.

"Hark to that!" he implored Tom Watkins, at the trawler's wheel. etc., have now been prepared and the "Murderin' custards! And blamin' thin wail seemed to come back from "If you will refer to the assets the fog as does the glare of a motor's

Watkins The Sure Hope swung inebriated cork, but the sure-footed

"Ah-too true, too true!" growled spat filled the charred bowl, and lighted wet weather conditions which change low. I refer in particular to with emphasis through the open lee the pipe with noisy puffs. prevailed during the whole of the purchases made in 1931, which window of the wheelhouse. "It'd do last summer were partly respon- amounted to \$382,000. Fortunately em good, the perishers, to sarve a any, Tom," he estimated.

> Jim work up with me afore lettin' traffic lane, if so be we had a mind," "You will note that the Herd now him sail foreign," mentioned the said Lorton oratorically, with the pipe going to his satisfaction, "an"

i.e., \$450,000.00, a very desirable and famous for garrulity, though as bustious, hell-for-leather big ships. satisfactory position considering the good a man at a ship's wheel in But why should we? I asks you, difficulties and risks inseparable hard weather as the whole coastwise Tom Watkins, why should we?"

the Cattle question we have this "I've hopes o' that boy o' mine, "Ain't we got as much right to year, in order to ensure as far as Tom," he confided, not for the first deep water as them thrusters? possible an even annual charge on or even the fifty-first time. "Here Sparrows deserve their food so account of Cattle losses which, as comes another blistered killer-ship!" much as eagles." you will appreciate, may vary con-Almost over his stern a raucous siderably from year to year, a Cattle siren rip-ripped its tumultuous warn- "That's what I taught my boywastage account was opened. You ing, and, glancing aft out of the an' many a clouted ear he got in the will observe that after charging the window, Lorton had the impression larnin'. Ay, an' many a rope's end actual Cattle Losses for this year, of a towering black cliff rearing to I frayed.

### POINTER KILLED FOR FOOD

### Gaol Sentence For Unemployed

DOG VALUED AT \$50

That he had killed the dog as necessary. A bonus of 5 per cent he had no food to eat was the "he's intil us!" Had anyone other death, since our last Annual Gen- to the staff, who have worked ex plea entered by Fung Lin, alias than Skipper Lorton been in charge eral Meeting, of Mr. J. P. Warren. ceedingly well in a difficult year, Tong Sing, a 30-year-old un- of the Sure Hope's destinies she Mr. Warren was a director of this has been provided out of working employed, who was charged be- must have been cut in two, to sink. Company for 10 years, joining the account as against a bonus of 15 fore Mr. A. W. G. H. Grantham like any stone. Those on her deck at the Kowloon Magistracy this had an awe-inspiring sense of doom the Directorate will be greatly "The amount for distribution, in-morning with the larceny of a -something that towered like Allsa cluding the sum of \$64,981.63 Pointer dog, belonging to Luk Craig above was there, a curl of "The profit on working account brought forward from last year | Yau, the house boy of No. 256, white at its forefoot dull glimmers

Mong Kok Tsui Police Station, whistle lanyard until it seemed the stated in his prosecution that at din would burst his eardrums; all shares absorbing ...... \$377,145.00 8 a.m. yesterday morning they hands turned out to tell the stranger 20.454.02 received information that the de- what honest fisherfolk thought of fendant was seen in an empty his blundering inefficiency. Lorton 20,000.00 house in Portland Street with the and Tom Watkins between them "To carry forward ..... 80,601.08 carcase of a dog. The police im worked another miracle; but not mediately went to the house and completely. found the carcase of a dog lying There was a screech of torn on the floor with its head severed. metal, the bursting of timbers; the The defendant was arrested in Sure Hope staggered and heeled Nathan Road near Portland until a vast welter of whole water. There are 260 addicts receiv. An earlier cable stated that plainwhen he was recognised by the boards of the fish-pens wildly this drug clinic in Tientsin, accord in "plain-clothes" cars are to be informer.

Sentence of three months' imprisonment was imposed.

Germany has granted herself in of depreciation written off this year many respects, and that the fin-Ghing, Leung Wah, and Ip Pak-chai, The black menace was swallowed in Temple at Glencoe, Illinois, on the At the forthcoming Milan Fair advance, and unconditionally, ad is rather less than previously. In ports from them consisted to a con, three odd lob cooles, where bound over the yellow blanket before the echoes grounds that he had declared him a pavillon will be named after

"Fiddlin' while Rome's a-burnin'.

TO-MORROW'S STORY

To-morrow's story will be

"Ain't that true?" ruminated Tom

and rolled in the liner's swell like an

men took no notice of the distur-

bance. The skipper hacked himself

plug traded from a Dutch smuggler,

"It don't look like thinnin' off

"We might alip out clear o' the

a pretty sure thing for the Winte

like all trawler-men, specialised

cash in following the gee-gees

"I'll gi'e ye ma reasons, Skipper.

by a flerce raw blare from right

ahoy-what ship's that?"

"Losh't A'michty!" he quavered

above his head.

"Thickenin', more likely."

"Ar-why?"

"It's a fact."

a pipeful of tobacco off a sweating

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## "RECORD HAUL"

39 Chinese Charged With Gambling

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'This is a record haul," remark- Work on the installation of the ed Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the long-distance telephone service "I was thinkin' Roysterin' Lad's Central Magistracy this morning, between Shanghai and Canton is when Mok Kuen, unemployed, Tang nearing completion, according to Handicap," opined Forsyth, who Kwan, shop-foki, and Mak Tai, a information from the Ministry of bailiff at the Supreme Court, and Communications." the form of horses and spent all his 36 other Chinese were brought beleigure and most of his hard wor fore him on charges of keeping a the middle of this month and, if common gambling house and gamb- they prove satisfactory, the seriling on the second floor of No. 1 vice will be officially inaugurated He did, argumentatively, almost bel-Bridges Street last evening. licosely; and was only interrupted,

The \$75 bail deposited by the first defendant was estreated for his failing to appear in court, while the second and third defendants were fined \$150 and \$75, respectively, on the charge of keeping a gambling house. Tang Kwan had a previous conviction. Twenty seven were fined \$3, while five others who failed to come to court had their bail of \$5 each estreated . It was stated that the defendants were playing fan tan. When it was revealed that \$17 was picked up His Worship said: "That's better, and ordered it to be put into the

### DRUG ADDICTS IN TIENTSIN

### 260 Undergoing Free Treatment

Street at 3.30 p.m. yesterday, swamped her decks, washing the ing free treatment at the anti-clothes policemen and policewomen way and that, until most of them ing to statistics issued by the used in London to trap motorists He pleaded guilty to the slid overside. officials of the clinic, who have exceeding 80 m.p.h. in built-up charge and said that early yes. There was a feeling, persisting recommended that the first batch areas, beginning on Monday next. terday morning he was sitting for definite moments, that the of 80 who will soon be complete. Saloons, tourers, and commercial down in Nelson Street when the trawler would be thrust clean under; ly cured of the habit, be employ- cars will be used, sometimes driving dog came up to him and he but she recovered; and before she ed by the Bureau of Public Works at 80 m.p.h. swung upright again, Skipper Lor. as labourers.

### STRACHEY ON BAIL

(Continued from Page 1) Faintly, from ahead and far above, came a derisive call of: An earlier message stated that warnings will be made that offen-"Thank you, no fish to-night!" Mr. Strachey, who is on a lecturing ders will be summoned. The penalty "Get his name an come from!" tour of the United States, was al- for a first offence will not exceed barked the skipper. "I'll make him leged to have falsely sworn a denial \$20 and for a second offence 250. pay dear for this, the the bully that he advocated the forceful over- but licenses will not be endorsed --ing, rip-snortin' son of a seacook! throw of the United States Govern. Reuter. Get his name, someone!" ment.

Three men yelled, in solo and He was arrested after he had ad MUSSOLINI'S SON HONOURED chorus, demanding information dressed a meeting in the Jewish

### **SHANGHAI-CANTON** TELEPHONE

### Hopes Of Opening On April 1

Nanking.

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### JUDICIAL CHANGES IN NANKING

### Metropolitan District Court Created

Nanking. The Kiangning (Nanking) District Court is to be re-named the Metropolitan District Court and will be under the direct jurisdiction of the Ministry of Justice, it is announced. The budget of the Court for the current fiscal year will be increased by \$70,000. (Chekiai Agency).

### "AUTOMOBELLES"

(Continued from Page 1.)

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or counter; the most anyone could therefore it behoved him to trail between London and Calcutta. An swear to was a red-brown boot-top- the smasher diligently until suffi- incoming air-mail reaches Croydon ping and the draught-marks climb- cient light brightened the gloom. ing up the stern-post. His siren . Forsyth joined him in the icy be received in the city of London, as it were derisively, but no man skins and eyebrows alike. whistle's blast.

"We might be cut down an' sink ing well Chief." said bitterly. "I'll make him pay— engineer with dignity." "I canna which leaves Croydon next morning n' for all the cares", the skipper [']]—[']]——'

said Forsyth. "Wi' a yer blethers board?"

if I've to foller him clean down to from I'll report him, with all hands on Monday and posted on Tuesday, Panama," vociferated Lorton. "Let to witness. And he'll get a stingin' the outgoing mail leaving Croydon him get away wi' murder—me? big bill o' damages to face that'll on Wednesday. Another service Not half! Here, you darned Scotty sour his owners agen him, if I know from Africa arrives on Thursday, that allus said you could teach any owners, likely it'll lose him his ship, and in this case replies which are man his job, never mind what it was Sarve him right, say I! Hell, he's being made ready on Friday can be agoin'. Hot her up, Scotty!"

the engineer, ever ripe for reprisals. "But it's a sair waste o' gude coal, forbye. He's a big feller-ane o' fifteen-knot craft frae his

looks." on, now-afore we lose his wake."

"job"-which was his pride and joy and trawler.

-responded nobly.

o' steam!" "Steam-in fog?" he was, chalgether. Forsyth clouted him dis extra spurt. passionately, and then, as he bruised, "An' then we have him!" he

The destructive stranger was dis- for God's sake!" obeying all navigational laws. In He stationed himself in the bows, formed that all Goods are being landed fog, mist, falling snow or heavy binoculars at his eyes, and the tall at their risk into the hazardous and/or rainstorms, all vessels shall proceed stern grew up out of the obscurity. extra hazardous Godowns of The Hong at a moderate speed, having regard Forsyth, leaving his throttles wide Co., Ltd., whence, and/or from the to the existing circumstances of the open and his trimmer well-nigh wharves delivery may be obtained. case," runs the Rule of the Road swooning, joined him. The stranger was working on a full "I can see it-I've throttle, none might doubt it: blind- triumphed the skipper. ing through the smother with a blus- an' Lilies, port o-" op that of others that might be lars aside. or that of others that might be lars aside.

"Hard a stubbud!" he raged to will not be recognized.

To comply with the General Bonded ed her gait nobly to the bidding of "Did ye get him?" questioned Warehouse Regulations consigness must the opened throttle; and the skipper Forsyth. posted himself in the bows, first as "I did. We're turnin'. It's my posted himself in the bows, first as a did. We're turnin it a my examined.

a tracker, next as a safety look-out, son who's commandin' you craft, All broken, chafed, and damaged TAIPING.

No one had seen it, either on bow of registry until daylight came; now afforded by our duplications could be heard deflantly hooting- bows, where frost formed on oil and replied to, for dispatch on the

identify a ship from her steam skipper. "He's suspicioned some (Tuesday). On Friday there is anthing an' speeded up, but ye're do other incoming mail from India.

stand the tyranny o' they big fel- (Saturday). "Ye'd better catch him firrst," lies. What way'll ye behave when ye catch him? Tak' him by the

"Ay, I'll e'en dae that!" agreed in a dignified way, taking out his ing." mer, who bathed in sweat.

through the night; but as a sugges- tage of these duplicated services, tion of light brightened the yellow are saving an additional three or mass, with the Sure. Hope diving four days in dispatching lefters to, raved, stamping on his hat. "Come giddily into the high swells left by and obtaining replies from, destinathe preceding gale, his bulk became tions along the main Empire routes. Forsyth scuttered away below, in- visible against the opaquity. He And of course similar time-savings

"Steam!" he said tersely to the by timely seamanship and the Sure days." trimmer. "Gi'e us steam-lashin's Hope fled on, with Breton anathemas dinning in the skipper's ears. The stranger ship was disappearing into lenged by the trimmer, who believed the fog. Lorton raced to the enginehe knew more about trawling than hatch and besought Forsyth by all skipper, mate, and engineer to the gods of machinery to make one

his hand on the junior's teeth, pas- clamoured. "I a'most read his name signately. "I said steam!" he vol- afore that Frenchy came blunderin' -give us a touch o' steam, Chief.

terous disregard of its own danger He suddenly pitched the binocu- All claims against the steamer must

sently picked up the big fellows atranger no longer a stranger. washing the for Skipper Thanks to the thick blackness it Lorton kicked at a stanchion until would, he kneen be impossible to his numbed foot sched read a word of his name and port

### AUTOGIROS' USE IN WAR

(Continued From Page 7). speed of more than 300 miles an hour and a landing speed about the same as that of existing military aeroplanes.

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### AIR MAIL GROWTH

(Continued from Page 7.) "Take, for example, the facilities each Monday, in time for letters to return mail for Calcutta which born of woman has yet been able to "We're holdin' him," rejoiced the leaves Croydon on the following day Letters by this can be dealt with in "I'm frae the Clyde," said . the time for the return mail for India

The African Service

"On our Africa route an incoming mail from Johannesburg reaches Croydon every Sunday. "All right, I will. I'll catch him Once I get his name and come. Letters from this can be dealt with -you get that bullgine o' yorn leavin' us are ye an engineer or a posted on Saturday, leaving Croypassenger? Forayth went aft, still don for Africa on Sunday morn-

revenge on the unfortunate trim- "Firms which are regular users of the air-mail, and are adapting The stranger did his best clear their reutine so as to take advandignant protest evident in every seemingly saw the Sure Hope at are possible in the reverse direction, bristle of his unkempt moustache, about the same time as the Sure between towns and cities on the He opened the Sure Hope's throttle Hope saw him, for he gave a spurt; Empire routes, and destinations in with a twirl that might have twisted and as he receded a Frenchman this country. For example, letters the neck of Goliath himself, and his came cutting neatly between ship can now travel from Calcutta to London and back by air-mail, a Once again Lorton saved his craft distance of 18,000 miles, in 18

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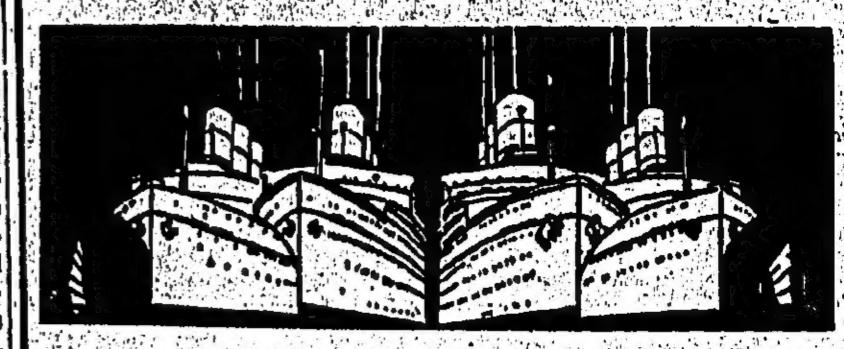
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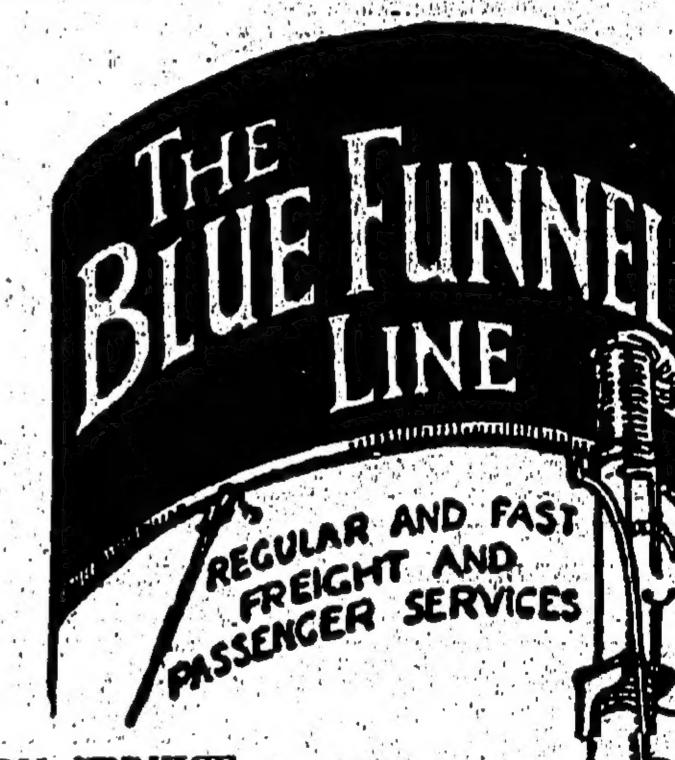
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No Fixed Methods

If you decide to retain possession of the ball, temporarily, your tactics will be determined by your training, experience, and personal methods. There is no fixed method of doing anything in football. could tell you how to kick the ball, how to trap and pass it, but, possibly, you know of methods which suit your style much better than those which I normally adopt.

As a good, general method of keeping the ball safe, however, I would advise having it as closely as possible to your feet. Some men can advance the ball by keeping it yard or two in front of them all time. But obviously this is ined to be hazardous, unless are very skilful.

the same way, the safest hod of advancing the ball is by ans of short, quick passes vertheless, this does not mean t the long pass cannot be emyed efficiently and successfully.

ll in all, I think we have to ee that the qualities which make uccessful team are inter-depen-Positional play, ball control, ensive schemes, and ford line tactics are all closely Sir And, everything depends n the manner in which the ities of eleven players are ilded into one harmonious com-

### TURDAY'S CLIMAX TO CAER CLARK HOCKEY CUP SERIES

(Continued from Page 4)

noon it was thought that the Saints; the second half to draw level.

the spoils in a goalless draw.

three-back idea is a practical one Nearly all the Universities were entered the net. when played against a team with having difficult times and the! Club:-C. L. Gregory; J. E. Potter a not too strong forward line, but Hong Kong University was no ex- Reed and G. Somers; G. E. R. Divett, they failed in their objective when ception. they met the "Y" Ladies, whose Dr. K. D. Ling, secretary, pre- Mackay. three inside forwards wreaked sented the report. havoc with their unorthodox de- The following officers

inside-forwards.

St. Andrew's Ladien:-L. Jorge; G. White and E. Landolt; I. Woolley, J Wong and P. Everest; F. Wong, Gittins, Mrs. G. White, P. Gittins and M. Churn:

Hong Kong Ladies :- B. Hance: E Gray and B. Helbling; C. Ferguson, N. McKenna and J. Smalley; W. Marsh J. Dalžiel, Mrs. Harrop, Mrs. Moutric

### ENGLAND INTERNATIONAL HOCKEY TRIAL THIS **AFTERNOON**

(Continued from Page 4) May displaces S. Fowler as rightwinger, while G. Fowler makes an appearance at inside-right in support of Reeks, of the Lincolns, Dawson and Toyne, complete the

In Whites' side, E. V. Reed wi appear at left-back, instead Bentley while W. A. Reed, Gough, and Williams comprise the halfbacks.

W. A. Reed is a certainty for the team, while Williams and Farmer also merit inclusion their consistently good displays.

The game commences at 5.15



Marjorie Gayle, aged 18, of Ames, In., was picked as possessor of the girl with the "most beautiful back profile" in a New York contest judged by artists.

### H. K. GRADUATES' ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL MEETING

W. Hornell Appeals For More Support.

Graduates' Association, held in soon added the next with a short the Jacobean Room, Hong Kong drive. Hotel, last evening, an appeal for The score remained at 2 nil for graduates to take more interest in the Club until after the interval, the University and the Associa- and it was not until after fifteen tion was made by Sir William minutes play that S. Reed gave Hornell, Vice-Chancellor of the them their third goal with a well-University.

Champions and the Saints shared with the University as the University wanted their help and

elected for the ensuing year:-The Saints will probably be President, Dr. D. K. Samy; viceplaying the same formation on Prosident, Dr. T. Y. Li; Hon. Trea-Saturday, and the Hong Kong surer, Mr. S. V. Gittins; Hon. Se-Ladies would do wisely to follow cretary, Mr. Chan Chek-wah comthe example of the "Y" Ladies who mittee, Miss E. Thom., Mr. H. concentrated on their wingers and Hong Sling, Dr. P. Ruttonjee, Miss E. Ho, Mr. H. Braga, Dr. K. D. The following are the probable Ling, Miss K. Lai and Dr. Yan .

### FRENCH LIBRARY Annual Meeting At

Consulate The annual meeting of

French Library was held at the French Consulate yesterday afternoon, with M. M. J. B. Montargis, parade, What A Chance, Ythan. the president, in the chair. M. Montargis expressed satis- Bold Captain, Bold Major, Boxing Eve,

faction at the successful state of Budge, Burgomaster, Chesterfield, affairs of the library, which was Chief Scattle, Chivalrous, Chow Fan, started 12 years ago. It is now in a very good financial state, and had substantial balances both in Eyes, Glittering Glory, Gold Bullion Paris and in Hong Kong.

Honneur. M. M. J. B. Montargis Knight, Iron Grey, King's Parade, was re-elected President, while King's Worthy, Light Brigade, Lime-M. Lorsignol was elected Secretary light, Lincluden, Little Beauty, Lucky Treasurer. Sir Robert Ho Tung Nebular Star, No Fear, Partnership, was elected member D'Honneur. Philanderer, Pride of Tsingtao Propi-On the motion of M. Montargis tions Time, Sandy Bay, Sarabande, Sciit was decided unanimously to no Pa, Beventeenth of September, Solar minate M. Dufaure de la Prade, Star, Soldier of Fortune, Soldier of Divett and Garthwaite, the In Milan, and one of the founders of Strathnairn, Surprise, The Chetah. again be seen together, while the library, as Honorary Presi. The Deemster, Tillicum, Tin A pleasant and enjoyable evening Senior leads the line with Parker, he had always taken in the Li-rington, Warrier of a Nation, What of the Police, and Taylor, of the brary, and in order that his name About That, William Oaler, Young Lincolns, on his left.

p.m. and the teams are:

Colours: F. Fowler (Y.M.C.A.): Among the many present were Velvet, Chow Min, City of Shanghai, Melcalfe (H.K.S.R.A.) and Cox (E. Sir Robert Ho Tung, Meadames Clyde, Copperanith, Dare Davil, Ebony Lanca); Neighbour (E. Lanca), Yeo- Croucher, Devaux, de Precourt, Idol, Estrellita, Felbridge, Flamingo, Equal Rights, Politically and A. (Idol, Estrellita, Felbridge, Flamingo, Copperanically); formed an interest. mans (Lincolns) and Farmer Evelie, Guerineau, Montargis, Forgemester, Forget-me-not, Gold Economically' formed an interest Control of May (Signals), G. Fowler Sarraut, Van Wylick, Misses Mel-Quet, Half Moon, Helluvafells, High ing topic for discussion, (Y.M.C.A.), Reeks (Lincolns), Dawson lis, Caudron, Tassartey, Messrs, Hot Heels, Kindo, Latitat, Lead-This topic disposed of, it was determined by the control of the control Walsh and others. Yanying

### CLUB DEFEAT H.K.S.R.A.

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Gregory had very little to do in the Club goal. Perse being the only one to bother him in the first Both goals scored against him were deflected off the defenders'

Reed's Outstanding Game Both backs, Potter and E. V.

Reed, combined well and checked many swift attacks led by Perse, the Brigade's new leader.

Reed was outstanding for his great anticipation, while Potter was seen in some spectacular first-time clearances. His one fault was that he often unsighted Gregory.

In the intermediate line, W. A Reed was again the outstanding figure at centre-half, and stopped Perse's every movement. Sommers, on his left, supported him

### Senior Very Fast

The four forwards made a very dangerous combination and the opposing defence continually at work. Senior led them well and was far too quick for Ravenhill, the opposing pivot, who was playing well below his usual form. S. Reed and Mackay had very

little to do in the numerous attacks' but were useful when in the circle. For the losers, Garthwaite at inside-right, was their best player, while Tara Singh, at right-half. played a steady defensive game, allowing Mackay very little rope.

Club Score First The Club, starting with three forwards, opened their account within the first ten minutes, when they forced their way through and At the annual meeting of the netted through Senior. S. Reed

placed drive from the circle's edge.

Many guests of the Vice-Chan- After this, the military team took must win by virtue of their three cellor were present at a tea which up the offensive and Garthwaite goals' lead over the "Y" Ladies, was given prior to the meeting, sent in a hard drive from a short who, however, surprised the critics and in the course of a short 'ad- corner, the ball being deflected off by staging a brilliant comeback in dress he welcomed all who had ac- Potter's stick into the net. The cepted his invitation. He hoped all next goal came within the last five In their last encounter the graduates would keep in touch minutes, when Khuda Bux received the ball in the circle near the dead co- line and flicked it in, and, after hit-The Saints have proved that the operation in all sorts of ways, ting two of the defenders sticks, it

and E. V. Reed; J. L. Tetley, W. ... P. H. Senior, S. Reed and N. A. E.

H.K.S.R.A .: - Feroz Khan; Metcalfe and Kishen Singh; Tara Singh, Ravenhill and Bachan Singh; Kuda Bux, Garthwaite, Perse, Khuda Bux and Chain Singh.

### **JOCKEY CLUB PONY** CLASSIFICATION

(Continued From Page 4) Foxbridge, Gay Crusader, Gold Coin, Harvest View, Heart's Desire, High Honour, High Speed, Iron Cross, Jolly Eyes, Jungle Jim, Mayflower, Mersey. Mistake Bay, Monoplane, Night View, Pacific Hall, Plain View Pontiac Bay, Popular Star, Racing Boy, Racing Pluck, Rousseau, Royal Romance, Sacajawea, Socrates, Soldier of Honour, Soldier of Peace, Soldier of Victory, Spinaway, Sylvandale, Tammany Hall, The Tiger, Trowbridge, Twenty Grand, Valorous, Victoria Hall, Voltaire, Wayward Stag, West

"D" Class :- Belmont Star, Beta, Classic Hall, Copper Idol, Delightful Chance. Double Chance, Emergency Call, Festival Eve, Fi-Fa, Fudge, Glad Gold Currency, Gold Picker, Great Hall, M. Soulange-Telssier, the Con-Heart's Glory, Helter Skelter, Hey Tor. sul, was elected President D'- Good Time, Invermark, Invincible

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Whites: Jessop (Police); Kennedy C. Arnulphy, Delcourt, S. de No Can. Now's The Time, Pavane, cided that a hiking tour to Ching In (E. Lancs) and E. V. Reed (Club); W. Champeaux, C. de Precourt, H. Racing Luck, Racing Spirit, Racing Yes, New Territory, should be made

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Directors Re-Elected

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Canton, to-day.

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"With regard to the proposal to was instituted soveral years ago are made to dependents of deceased ment. Although the scheme been in force for several years the ber of employees have now qualt fied for benefit, the creation of reserve in order to meet our obliga-

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venture. During the year we ex tended this installation by Fountain machinery. These var

to Japanese control over China. "Although expenditure on Re-BANDITS DEFEATED IN KIANGS

In rising to second the adoption of the report and accounts, Mr. J. D. Danby said: "I am sure Shareholders agree with me that figures presented are very satisfac- On-sik, wiped out a band of outlaws any other nations' security," he also on Saturday. Over 100 of them concluded.—British Wireless Ser. tory when one considers the general state of depression that prevailed in were killed, many captured and a vice . Hong Kong during the year under number of weapons seized. The survivors escaped to the mountains consideration.

lucid details that there remains Press.

"However, turning to the Balance port of the Directors and adoption Sheet there is one item under the of the Accounts as presented." heading of Liabilities which, frankly The Chairman confirmed Mr. I do not like to see under this head- Danby's remarks concerning the ing and that is "Provident Fund Provident Fund Account, and said Account, \$99,550.16". Funds of that the matter was "occupying the this description, which are partly Directors' attention."

Trustees, and I trust this will be Smith, Seth and Fleming, as audi-four occasions, the last time being tors, was proposed by Mr. J. H. R. in the 1905-06 season. "With these few remarks I have Hance, and seconded by Mr. H. J. | Neither of the other two teams

### RUMOUR REFUTED BY CANTON Kwangtung And Canton

NO RESHUFFLE TO BE MADE In a press interview yesterday, formula," Mr. MacDonald con-·Hsino Fu-chen refuted the the Kwangtung Provincial and the He declared that such a rumour efforts to assume that our peace ployees who find it necessary to is a pure fabrication and is intend- lead meant that we had ceased to ed to disturb the peace of Canton take practical interest in opposing

discussed the matter with General DEFENCE NOT TO BE NEGLECTED

Chen Chi-tang and Chairman Lin "The "White Paper" makes i Yuen-kai after the regular meeting clear that, whilst peace is our of the Southwest Executive Compolicy, we shall not neglect obvious mittee of Kuomintang on Monday defence. The Paper is issued by last and they thought the rumous the Government after full con-Bideration and a very careful re-Hsiao said that he would be responview, extended over many months, sible if the rumour proved correct. during which all aspects have been debated and examined as a contribution to peace. Were it not a peace document, I should never have agreed to its issue. Peace is its purpose throughout.

example to the world in disarma-Japan, he said, because Sino-ment. Most elementary necessities Japanese co-operation was urged in our defence have been neglected purchase of the undertaking known by the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen in his We felt that even to replace one as Hong Kong Cold Storage Co., last public address in Kobe on gun might have been advertised as a departure from our peace and Sir Alexander Cadogan, British disarmament policy. We have the Minister to China, was expected to made proposals for international crection of an additional chilling arrive in Nanking yesterday in or- agreements on armaments, and room and Ice store. This replaces |der to find out how the situation have not always waited for their acthe. Ice store we have for many stands between China and Japan. | ceptance before doing something to With Japanese assistance, Mr. carry them out ourselves,

### NATIONS NOT BLIND

Hu Han-min to go to Nanking, Mr. thing, except in the possible case of air estimates, to increase our power Japan policy, which, he said leads of offence. If our meral gestures cannot protect the world from increasing offensive; armaments, we must take steps to make collective security more than words and to protect our civilians against attack. I cannot believe the great Another report from the same nations are blind to the dangers general states that two regiments they run in refusing to come to the of his troops, which were ordered Disarmament Conference and to to suppress remnant bandits in the make agreements at them which the east of Shekpei, Tai-chiu-tow, and will neither threaten their own nor

### RANGERS V. HEARTS IN SEMI FINAL

(Continued from Page 1)

Hamilton Academicals were beaten in the Second Round last

The Rangers have held the Scottish Cup on nine occasions, four Company should not be subject to Mr. W. S. Bailey proposed and times within the last seven years, the prosperity of the Company. I Mr. E. W. Gardiner seconded that including the 1908-9 season when understand the Directors have a Messrs. T. E. Pearce and J. Owen they should have met Celtic in the scheme underway whereby these Hughes be re-elected Directors. Final, but the Cup was withheld. funds are to be handed over to The re-election of Messrs. Percy The Hearts have won the trophy on

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